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Hon. Joseph E. Thropp Declares His Position

ON ALL VITAL QUESTIONS

In This Campaign in Letter Formally Accepting Congressional Nomination.

Earlston, Pa., Oct. 22, 1906.

E. M. Pennell, Esq.,
Chairman Lincoln Party Conference.
Frank Fletcher, Esq.,
Representing Democratic Party Conference.
Mr. Norman L. Berkebile,
Chairman Prohibition Party Conference.

Gentlemen:—

I herewith formally accept the honor of the nomination for Congress, tendered through you to me by the Independent Republicans, Democrats and Prohibitionists of the Nineteenth District.

I did not seek the nominations, nor work for them, nor expend one penny to obtain them; nor have I bound myself by a single pledge, and challenge proof to the contrary from all quarters. If elected your representative, I will be in a position to serve with absolute freedom the best interests of the people of our district.

The conditions which confront us demand that every citizen should place country above party. It is a government "of the people" that is at stake. Under the leadership of a just President, Theodore Roosevelt, and such valiant co-workers as Emery, Creasy, Folk, LaFolette and John Mitchell, the people, if they will but co-operate, have good hope of winning this final battle against corrupt "machines" and commercial greed.

The men who gave Roosevelt the magnificent majority of five hundred thousand, in 1904, rebuked the arrogant corruption of the Pennsylvania "machine," by giving Berry a majority of one hundred thousand, a signal proof that the first consideration in the minds of the citizens is an honest administration of public affairs. Mr. Berry has justified the confidence of the people by "taking off the lid" and exposing a condition of unparalleled wastefulness in the expenditure of the public money.

This partial redemption of the State government from corrupt "machine" rule must be completed! The Congressional districts must be emancipated from that Penrose bossism which has covered the State government with infamy, and I pledge myself, if elected Congressman, to fulfill my duties as the representative of the people, and not as a satellite of Penrose.

I favor such a revision of the tariff as shall enable the American manufacturer to compete with the European, employing pauper labor, and that shall secure to the workingmen that maximum of wages which shall enable them to maintain such a standard of living as shall make of them and their children the most intelligent and efficient unit in the world.

I favor such national legislation as shall meet the just demands of the workingmen, having always in my industrial business enjoyed the confidence of the leaders of organized labor and maintained cordial relations, through just dealings with employees. I have found no insuperable difficulty in adjusting the most complex problems of capital and labor through the helpful co-operation of the trusted leaders of organized labor.

So far as my influence as a National representative can be directed to State policies, I favor the right of trolleys to carry freight, the right of eminent domain, and National as well as State aid, for good roads.

I favor such equalization of taxation as shall neither confiscate the property of corporations, nor that of private citizens, but shall rest with equal weight upon all.

I favor National supervision of corporations doing an interstate business.

I have always believed in the justice of service pensions and shall support every policy designed to re-pay the gigantic debt of gratitude which the Nation owes to those who have offered their lives to preserve our Union.

I favor the establishment of rural free delivery all over the district and shall insist that the carriers be absolutely free from political dictation.

I favor an adequate appropriation for the erection of the Government Building, at Johnstown, commensurate with the dignity of the city and its great industrial interests.

I favor the confinement of State and National employees strictly to the performance of their official duties, and oppose their use as partisan workers at the expense of the people.

I know that I shall be purposely misrepresented, as I have been in the past. My record and character are my best defenses.

Scorning appeal to prejudice, I entrust my fate at the polls to the just judgment of my fellow citizens. The rights which we, as American citizens, enjoy, are priceless heritages. They have cost hundreds of thousands of lives, untold suffering and billions of money. It is a duty second only to our duty to our Creator, to our families, and to our homes, to preserve and hand them down unimpaired. If we so act, we will then reach up to the high standard set by Abraham Lincoln and make this, indeed, "a government of the people, by the people, for the people."

With renewed feeling of obligation to my many friends through the entire district who have so honored me, I am, Sincerely yours

Joseph E. Thropp.

TAKE WARNING!!!!!!

Washington, D. C., Oct. 8, 1906.

"THE ONLY OPPORTUNITY THAT CONGRESSMAN JOHN M. REYNOLDS HAD TO DEMONSTRATE HIS FRIENDLINESS TO LABOR IN THE LAST SESSION OF CONGRESS WAS ON THE BILL WHICH NULLIFIED THE EIGHT-HOUR LAW IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE PANAMA CANAL, AND ON THIS BILL HE WAS RECORDED AS VOTING TO NULLIFY THE EIGHT-HOUR LAW IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF THAT WORK."

Signed: "Samuel Gompers, Pres.
American Federation of Labor."

The above is an extract from a letter of the noted labor leader, Samuel Gompers. John M. Reynolds, a foe to the eight-hour law in the Panama zone, is surely in principle a foe to the eight-hour law in the States.



HON. JOSEPH E. THROPP,
For Congress.

Hon. Joseph E. Thropp, the Congressional nominee of the Lincoln, Democratic, Prohibition, Referendum and Commonwealth parties, was born at Valley Forge. After attending the public schools of his native county and the Friends' Central High School of Philadelphia he entered the Polytechnic College of the State of Pennsylvania, from which he graduated as a civil engineer. He immediately took up the practice of his profession in Minnesota on the L. S. & M railroad, in six months' time reaching the rank of division engineer. In 1870 he returned east to enter the iron business with the Merion Furnace Co. and became a partner in 1872. In 1889 he moved to Everett, having purchased the plant of the Everett Iron Co., which he has since operated.

A short time ago he purchased the property of the Saxton Furnace Company, which is now being put in shape for operation and which, added to the Earlston furnace, which he has successfully operated for a number of years, makes him the largest individual operator in the state.

In politics Mr. Thropp has always been an active Republican. In 1898 he was regularly nominated and elected as the representative of the 20th Pennsylvania district, comprising Bedford, Blair, Cambria and Somerset counties, and while in Congress was active in behalf of the old soldiers and zealously worked for the interests of all his constituents. His ability was recognized by Speaker Henderson, who apopinted him on three committees, the only new member of the House thus honored. He soon became active and influential as a committee worker, and had he been returned to the 57th Congress would most probably have been a chairman of one committee—another rare honor—and one which would have added to the influence of our representative and made possible his doing even more for our people.

As our candidate for Congress, there is no man more ably fitted to look after our interests than Hon. Joseph E. Thropp.

UNAUTHORIZED!

Charles A. Wertz Brands Bedford Correspondent as a Liar.

R. F. D. 3, Bedford, Pa.,
October 23, 1906.

Editor Gazette,

I noticed the following paragraph in an editorial in last week's issue of The Gazette:

"An article from Bedford in the Johnstown Democrat, Mr. Bailey's paper, bearing date of October 14, begins, 'The Bryan Democracy has formally organized in Bedford with Prof. D. C. Stunkard as chairman, Daniel S. Horn as secretary, Charles A. Wertz as treasurer and Dr. Statler of Pleasantville and Dr. A. Enfield of this place among the members of the executive committee, which is made up of a number of leading Democrats.'"

I desire to say that I knew nothing of such an organization and did not authorize the use of my name in such connection. I am no "Bailey" Democrat but am a Bryan Democrat. I shall not vote for Bailey. The author of the article in the Johnstown Democrat is a liar. Bailey will get about three votes, in this county, the same number he received at the primary.

Charles A. Wertz.

FUSION MOVEMENT

Is Sweeping the State and All Friends of

GOOD GOVERNMENT

Who Hear the Clarion Notes of Democratic and Lincoln Party Orators are Enlisting.

Not in the history of Pennsylvania politics has there been such an uprising on the part of thinking people as is now spreading over the once honored commonwealth. For forty years the people of the state have been dominated by a band of despoilers who have been fitly called "the gang." The nomination and election of Governors, Congressmen, Senators and Representatives as well as Judges and county officers have been dictated by individuals and groups of individuals, corrupt and unscrupulous. From the days of the elder Cameron to the present time the once fair name of Pennsylvania has been a byword in sister states.

Such have been the conditions but a mighty change is imminent. An outraged people are arising in their might and their voice will be heard throughout the state on election day. The gang has dominated not only elections but legislation and, in some instances, judicial action. It is a known fact that the gang has taken up men for office, who were elected because of a clean reputation, who were, when in office ruled and controlled by the gang. One Governor went prematurely to his grave because he allowed himself to be persuaded to pardon criminals who threatened to expose the gang. Governor Pennypacker's record as a Judge was good and clean, but as Governor he has been a tool; his signing the infamous "Press Muzzler" and his laudations of Quay and Penrose and "the one political star" are sufficient to condemn him, to say nothing of the capitol steal.

Now comes Candidate Stuart and he too makes promises; but he was nominated by Penrose and his campaign is being managed by Andrews, Penrose's man "Friday." Has the gang a hold on him? Then too when the city of Philadelphia was about to be robbed by the U. G. I. and he was asked to raise his voice in protest he declined to take a side. He went into figurative hiding. Can such a man be expected to free himself from the gang? Emery has backbone and he will provide "prison stripes for grafters."

But Emery must be backed, and we could hardly hope of William C. Miller, if elected, to break with the gang with the members of which he has so long trained. Hon. William H. Koontz is a man of the Emery stripe and has fought violently in the battles for political independence. He may, beyond doubt, be trusted as a backer of Emery and Berry, to assist in the elimination of both gang and graft.

John M. Reynolds has been in all political parties where he could secure anything for himself. He is a trimmer and a trickster; he disregards both promises and pledges—in short he is for Reynolds.

Hon. Joseph E. Thropp has done more for this county and this district than any other one man in it and more than any group of men in this county. He has the business qualifications and the intellectual ability to creditably represent this district in Congress, and will easily carry this county by a larger vote than he did two years ago—for the people of this county know Reynolds and his record. The remaining few of the "boys in blue" who valiantly defended our country in her hour of need have read from his pen the denunciation of their leaders in the following language:

"Of course all the political bummers and whiskey thieves will shout their huzzas for Grant."

"The impeachment of Grant and the removal of Sheridan are demanded by the people."

"That Sheridan is not only a bloodthirsty scoundrel, but a liar of the deepest dye, is fully established."

"With Garfield's corruption record and Chester A. Arthur's record of imperialism and third term, the Republican party has placed itself in an unenviable position before the country."

"Garfield is the champion bloody-shirt waver."

"Logan is the windiest man in the United States Senate. He can talk more and say less than any man who ever occupied a seat in that body."

"General Longstreet is said to be in favor of Grant for the third term. Well, we venture to remark that the so-called rebel, General Mosby, is in the same boat and the whiskey ring and Black Friday men and the Indian ring and the speculators and robbers of government funds.*.*.*"

We want men in Congress who place country before party, and John M. Reynolds is not such a man.

Marriage Licenses

Edward McCann and Mary A. Wise, of Broad Top.

Wilmer I. Taylor and Ruie Ray Statler, of New Paris.

John Winkler of Blair county and Nancy G. Bollman of Woodbury township.

Charles W. Fondelier of Johnstown and Mary E. Leonard of Bedford.

George A. Hickes of Saxton and Mary Cullen of Six Mile Run.

Enfield and Horn have faith enough to remove mountains, hence they have bared their breasts for Bailey, and through him for the "icicle man" in the background.

Just one year ago almost every man, woman and child in Philadelphia was up in arms against the gang (who were then and are still masquerading as Republicans) to prevent them stealing the Gas Works. A committee called on Edwin S. Stuart and asked him to address the now famous meeting of angry, aroused people at the Academy of Music. His reply was—"I will not take sides in this matter" and he refused positively to have anything to do with it.

Can a man who would not then take sides in a cause of such vital interest to every living human being be trusted now to protect you against corporate greed and party graft? Certainly not.

Vote for LEWIS EMERY, JR., he is not afraid!



HON. EDMUND S. DOTY,
For Representative.

Edmund S. Doty was born at Mifflin, Juniata county, on May 14, 1851. He was educated in Mifflin schools, Airy View Academy, Port Royal, and Lafayette College, graduating from there in 1872. He read and practiced law with his father and was assistant solicitor for the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. In 1890 he came to Bedford, and became cashier of the First National Bank, which position he now fills. Mr. Doty was elected to the House of Representatives in 1898 and re-elected in 1902. His record in the House at Harrisburg has been such as to bring honor to the district. His opposition to the notorious "Press Muzzler" won words of praise from many papers and public men in the state, and his fight for an amendment to the bill that fixed the minimum of teachers' salaries in the state at $35 showed conclusively that he was looking to the interest of those poorer districts of the state in which the additional salary proved so burdensome. His training in college, and the law, together with his straightforward business methods, give him exceptional advantage and amply fit him to again represent the county in the Legislature. He has been tried and proved faithful; his record is a proud one, and all voters who hope to remove odium from the once fair name of our state should support him.

Mr. Doty is bitterly opposed by the machine and every exertion will be made by that piratical organization to defeat him. Able and conscientious men are not wanted in the Legislature by those who have schemes to despoil. But the people of the state want such men to make their laws, and Edmund S. Doty is foremost among them.

Congratulations From Canada

Elgerwil Ranch, Oct. 15, 1906.

Dear Mr. Van Ormer,

Allow me to congratulate you and your staff on your remarkable success in getting up the "Centennial Edition" of The Gazette. It is a great credit to the town and county as it is splendid and should be a great history to the younger class and prized by all.

Yours sincerely,
H. W. S. Wilson,
Battle Creek,
Sask, Canada.

L. T. L. Entertainment

The Loyal Temperance Legion will give their regular monthly entertainment in the Lodge Room, Brode building, next Friday evening, November 2, at 7:30 o'clock. The program under preparation is full of interest, as usual. Friends of the cause are urged to attend for the encouragement of the young people engaged in this work so necessary in our community. Admission, adults, ten cents, Legioners and other youug people, five cents.

Killed His Horse

Saturday night last Rohm Wigfield, and his cousin, Curtis Wigfield, near Artemas, Bedford county, were riding along the county road, in a reckless gallop, and Rohm's horse plunged into the buggy of Ephraim Smith, who was coming in an opposite direction. A shaft of the buggy penetrated the breast of Wigfield's horse to the heart. Wigfield pulled the horse back and started it off again, but it only ran a short distance till it fell dead in the road.

Constable Samuel Jay arrested him since and the justice held him under $500 bail for Bedford grand jury in November.—Cumberland Times.

MENTIONED IN BRIEF

Town Talk and Neighborhood Notes Tersely Told

MANY ITEMS OF INTEREST

Gleaned From Various Sources—Little Points Picked Up By Vigilant Reporters.

Harry Bollinger is ill with typhoid fever.

Anderson Park yesterday—Coaldale 7; Bedford 4.

Miss Bessie Donahoe, one of our popular borough teachers, is on the sick list.

A marriage license was granted in Cumberland this week to David Ford and Effie Warsing, of Hopewell.

W. H. Drake, an expert marble and granite cutter, has again taken charge of the Rush Marble Works.

A. Hoffman has his window prettily decorated with autumn leaves and has a fine showing of the latest shoes.

A meeting of the Bedford County Fruit-Growers' Association will be held at the courthouse Saturday, November 3, at 2 o'clock.

A splendid Mission Band entertainment will be given in the Presbyterian church Monday evening, October 29, at 8 o'clock. Don't miss the Flag Brigade.

Rev. F. W. McGuire is conducting a special meeting at North Point. Preaching Sunday, October 28, at Six Mile Run at 10:30 a. m.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Church of God, Six Mile Run, will hold a social in Mechanics Hall commencing October 31. Refreshments, meals and needlework will be sold.

The sacrament of the Lord's supper will be administered in Trinity Lutheran church, Bedford, Sunday, October 28, at 11 a. m. Preparatory service Friday evening previous at 7:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Cooper, of Bristol, Tenn., are paying a visit to Mrs. Cooper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Simon Leader, of Everett, and their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Pate, of Bedford.

District Attorney H. D. Tate and E. M. Pennell, Esq., will address a meeting at Rainsburg Monday evening, and Hon. E. S. Doty and H. D. Tate, Esq., will speak at New Buena Vista, Saturday evening, November 3.

William Reynolds, returning home from work early yesterday morning, accidentally fell through the George's Creek and Cumberland railroad trestling into a coal yard and was painfully injured. He was taken to his home in the northern section of the city.—Cumberland News.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Eichelberger of Pittsburg gave their little daughter Irene a pleasant surprise Friday evening, October 19, it being her sixth birthday. The rooms were decorated in pink, forming a cobweb, on the end of each string being a toy for each child. There were thirty children and all had a good time. Refreshments were served at 9:30.

Henry Detwiler of Baker's Summit, who has been employed at the Klotz sawmill near New Enterprise, met with what might have been a serious accident last week. While hauling water in a large tank weighing 2½ tons he tried to mount one of the horses while going; his foot slipped causing him to fall under the tank and one of the wheels passing over his leg broke both of the bones below the knee.

POLITICAL POINTERS

Almost everybody will admit that Reynolds has proved himself a pretty capable political acrobat, but when it comes to the good old game of "follow the leader" he is simply not in it. Bedford and Bedford township combined gave Roosevelt 572 votes in 1904, but Candidate Reynolds could only total 441, while Thropp had 604.

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Joseph T. Alsip, Republican candidate for the Legislature in 1904, had 553 votes in Bedford and Bedford township compared to 441 that Reynolds was able to scrape up. Yet Reynolds and his gang knifed Alsip when a candidate for re-nomination.

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Reynolds boasted he would beat Thropp in the latter's home district of West Providence township; when the votes were counted Reynolds had 168 and Thropp 232, while Roosevelt had 346. There is quite a difference between Mr. Reynolds' promises and performances!!!!

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The Borough of Everett polled 364 votes for President Roosevelt in 1904, 254 votes for Thropp and 179 for Reynolds. Reynolds failed to "connect."

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Reynolds said the would carry Bedford county by 1,200 over Thropp in 1904, but Thropp beat him by 779, which was no doubt quite a surprise to John M.

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Bolter Bailey says that Thropp has purchased the nomination for Congress in this district. If that were true he must have purchased it from the Democratic county convention, for that body, after endorsing Mr. Bailey for the nomination, recommended that Mr. Thropp be nominated, after he had secured for the Democratic ticket the endorsement of the Lincoln Party. Plain fact.—Johnstown Journal, October 17, 1906.

JORDAN IN THE FORUM

Bedford Barrister Talked Politics at Confluence.

From the Meyersdale Commercial of October 18 we clip the following account of a meeting at Confluence:

Thursday the first snow storm of the season struck the town and also Berkey's vaudeville aggregation of burlesque specialties consisting of an orchestra of six musicians, a "coon singer" and three end men; the latter being John Harmonious Jordan of Bedford, Amos Wantsit Knepper and, last but not least, Always Coming Holbert. Orville Fike called the meeting to order.

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After Prof. Fike's very short song and dance the Bedford county end man (J. H. Jordan) addressed his audience in the following or words to that effect!—"Among the many men in the past and at present who were candidates for their suffrages, none stood and higher than Dr. W. C. Miller, who stood so high above ordinary folks that to see his virtues clearly it was necessary for the observers to lie on the broad of their baeks and look directly heavenwards. In fact his heart was so big that it was equivalent in size to his body and for this reason the machine clerk of the Senate, in the absence of a quorum, or on a close vote, very often mistook this large heart for an additional Senator and counted two votes instead of one. Besides the magnitude of his heart, his skill as a surgeon and physician was unbounded. He next shed tears of sorrow at the persecution that the saintly contractors of Philadelphia had undergone. Those virtuous martyrs, who suffered so much for the sake of righteousness and fat contracts. He said Homer Castle was weeping and wailing in anguish until his tears were filling one of Jonnie Rockefeller's pipe lines, because a year ago he told lies on those immaculate saints and angels better known as the "Boodle contractors of Philadelphia." Mr. Jordan next paid his respects to Lewis Emery and took up the saying about the churches and brewery and here he shed tears and appealed to the voters to vote against Emery, to set a good example to the younger generation and also to vote for Miller to prove that virtue would always prevail. He said that the capitol at Harrisburg was without exception the finest building in the United States unless it was the capitol at Washington. He laid great stress on a bill that a machine would pass to give trolley lines the right to carry freight, but forgot to tell about the bill that Farmer Creasy brought up for the same purpose and the machine smothered it time and again. After Mr. Jordan got through the orchestra played "Roll, Jordan, Roll."

A. W. Knepper, candidate for the Legislature, concluded his speech with an eulogy on the preceding speaker, Mr. Jordan, and here was where he displayed not only silver-tongued oratory but also became poetical. As the Jordan rolls from the mountains of Judea and enriches and fertilizes the valleys, singing anthems of praise and thanksgiving to Him who nourished the streams; so does the Bedford Jordan with his streams of eloquence flowing from the Broad Top mountains enrich and fertilize the intelligent minds of the citizens of Confluence; while the lesser Jordan sings anthems of praise to the fountain and source of all rivers, so does the Greater Broad Top Jordan the "Uncrowned King of Spellbinders" sing songs of glorification and halleluiahs to William C. Miller.

Republican Rally

Baker's Summit, Oct. 15, '06.

Editor Gazette,—The weather was fine on the evening of October 13th. The citizens of Bloomfield township gathered into town as on a usual Saturday evening, without any special interest in the evening affair. The Reynolds' speakers, Messrs. Smith, Minnich and Sell arrived early and appeared in good trim for the deliverance of their speeches. And what a blessing that there were three of them! For the crowd was so great (?) that one sneaker would have played out. Mr. Smith spoke to his helpers, the chairman and a few band boys. Mr. Minnich had the pleasure of speaking to the same. Then Mr. Sell was honored somewhat more by Mr. Smith and Mr. Minnich joining the audience and swelling its ranks two more so that Mr. Sell need not speak to the empty street.

The speeches passed by without one single applause or cheer; the people who were there felt more like giving a sneer. The band-boys did well and we appreciated their entertainment very much. They received several faint cheers during the meeting.

We must give that stanuch Democrat, J. I. Barley, praise and credit for his thoughtfulness. After the meeting was over, the band gave a concert and during their discourse Mr. Barley came out and moved that the citizens of Bloomfield give three cheers for the Woodbury band, to which they responded most heartily. This was the first cheer of the evening, and not a man showed any blood for Mr. Reynolds and his gang. Down with bossism!

Miller Off

Last Saturday the Dauphin County Court dismissed the objection to the certificate of Hon. William H. Koontz as the Lincoln Party candidate for the Senate in the Bedford-Somerset-Fulton district. The court declared the papers by which Miller, assisted by Banking Commissioner Berkey—What a pair!—attempted to steal the Lincoln Party nomination, to be invalid.

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A FREE TRIAL of this great kidney medicine which cured Miss Knight will be mailed on application to any part of the United States. Address Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. Sold by all dealers; price, fifty cents per box.

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Quality:—First class locust, free from knots, rots, worm holes and wind shakes and any other defects that would keep it from passing inspection as good sound merchantable locust.

Dimensions: — All wood must measure at least 7 in. at small end of stick, lengths 49 in. and 99 in. cut straight. In order to save timber two 25 in. pieces will be taken and laid end against end to measure 49 in.

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ManZan relieves instantly the pain caused by those blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles. It is put up in collapsible tubes in such a way that it can be applied where the trouble originates, thus stopping the pain immediately. Try one bottle and if you are not relieved, your money will be refunded. Try our free offer. Sold by J. Reed Irvine.

If an article is imitated, the original is always best. Think it over, and when you go to buy that box of salve to keep around the house, get DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is the original and the name is stamped on every box. Good for eczema, tetter, boils, cuts and bruises, and especially recommended for piles. Sold by Ed. D. Heckerman.

To Judge a Remedy

you must know its father and mother, and so understand the reason for its existence. Ramon's Liver Pills and Tonic Pellets, a Treatment for Sick-Headache, Dizziness, Pains in the Side, Constipation and Biliousness, is based on the formula of one of the greatest physicians ever known. Your leading druggist, J. Reed Irvine & Co., will guarantee Ramon's Liver Pills and Tonic Pellets to cure sick-headache, or refund your money. Whole Treatment 25 cts.

Henry E. Jones of Tampa, Fla., writes: "I can thank God for my present health, due to Foley's Kidney Cure. I tried doctors and all kinds of kidney cures, but nothing done me much good till I took Foley's Kidney Cure. Four bottles cured me, and I have no more pain in my back and shoulders. I am 62 years old, and suffered long, but thanks to Foley's Kidney Cure I am well and can walk and [illegible] recommend it to [illegible] kidney medicine." Ed. D. Heckerman.

THE REFUGEES

By A. CONAN DOYLE,
Author of "The Return of Sherlock Holmes"

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(Continued from last week.)

CHAPTER XIII.

ON the night upon which such strange chances had befallen his messengers the king sat in his cabinet attended only by Louvois, his minister. There was a tap at the door, and Bontems peeped in. "The archbishop has arrived, sire."

"Very well, Bontems. Ask madame to be so good as to step this way. And order the witnesses to assemble in the anteroom."

As the valet hastened away Louis turned to his minister. "I wish you to be one of the witnesses, Louvois."

"To what, sire?"

"To my marriage."

The minister started. "What, sire! Already?"

"Now, Louvois; within five minutes."

"Very good, sire."

There had meanwhile been busy goings on in the small room where the red lamp burned in front of the Virgin. Francoise de Maintenon stood in the center, a little flush of excitement on her cheeks and an unwonted light in her placid gray eyes. She was clad in a dress of shining white brocade, trimmed and slashed with silver serge and fringed at the throat and arms with costly point lace. There came a discreet tap at the door.

"It is Bontems, madame," said Mlle. Nanon. "He says that the king is ready."

"Then we shall not keep him waiting. Come, mademoiselle, and may God shed his blessing upon what we are about to do!"

The little party assembled in the king's anteroom and started from there to the private chapel. In front walked the portly bishop, clad in a green vestment, puffed out with the importance of the function, his missal in his hand and his fingers between the pages at the service de matrimoniis. The king and Mme. de Maintenon walked side by side, she quiet and composed, with gentle bearing and downcast eyes, he with a flush on his dark cheeks and a nervous, furtive look in his eyes, like a man who knows that he is in the midst of one of the great crises of his life. Behind them in solemn silence followed a little group of chosen witnesses, the lean, silent Pere la Chaise, Louvois scowling heavily at the bride, the Marquis de Charmarante, Bontems and Mlle. Nanon.

The torches shed a strong yellow light upon this small band as they advanced slowly through the corridors and salons which led to the chapel. A minute later they were before the altar, and the words were being read which should bind them forever together. As they turned away again, her new ring blazing upon her finger, there was a buzz of congratulation around her. The king only said nothing, but he looked at her, and she had no wish that he should say more. She was still calm and pale, but the blood throbbed in her temples.

But a sudden shadow had fallen across her, and a low voice was in her ear. "Remember your promise to the church," it whispered. She started and turned to see the pale, eager face of the Jesuit beside her.

"Your hand has turned cold, Francoise," said Louis. "Let us go, dearest. We have been too long in this dismal church."

Mme. de Montespan had retired to rest, easy in her mind, after receiving the message from her brother. She knew Louis as few others knew him, and she was well aware of that obstinacy in trifles which was one of his characteristics. If he had said that he would be married by the archbishop, then the archbishop it must be. Tonight at least there should be no marriage.

She dressed herself with care in the morning. No news had come to her of the great event of the previous night, although the court already rang with it, for her haughtiness and her bitter tongue had left her without a friend or intimate. She rose, therefore, in the best of spirits.

She was still in her boudoir putting the last touches to her toilet when her page announced to her that the king was waiting in her salon. Mme. de Montespan could hardly believe in such good fortune. She had racked her brain all morning as to how she should win her way to him, and here he was waiting for her.

He had come with every intention of beginning the interview by telling her bluntly of his marriage, but now, as he looked upon her beauty and her love, he felt that it would have been less brutal to strike her down at his feet. Let some one else tell her, then. She would know soon enough. All this ran swiftly through his mind, and she as swiftly read it off in his brown eyes.

"You have something you came to say, and now you have not the heart to say it. God bless the kindly heart which checks the cruel tongue!"

"No, no, madame," said Louis. "I would not be cruel. I cannot forget that my life has been brightened and my court made brilliant during all these years by your wit and your beauty [illegible] chance, and pardoned for every reason I think that it is best that we should arrange in the way which we discussed the other day and that you should withdraw yourself from the court."

"Withdraw, sire! For how long?"

"It must be a permanent withdrawal, madame. I need not say that I shall make your retirement a happy one as far as in me lies. Your allowance shall be fixed by yourself. A palace shall be erected for you in whatever part of France you may prefer, provided that it is twenty miles from Paris. An estate also"—

"Oh, sire, how can you think that such things as these would compensate me for the loss of your love?" Her heart had turned to lead within her breast. Had he spoken hotly and angrily she might have hoped to turn him as she had done before, but this gentle and yet firm bearing was new to him, and she felt that all her arts were vain against it.

"Madame," said he, "I have thought well over this matter, and it must be as I say. There is no other way at all. I have ordered your brother to have his carriage at the postern at 9 o'clock, for I thought that perhaps you would wish to retire after nightfall."

"To hide my shame from a laughing court! It was thoughtful of you, sire. And yet perhaps this, too, was a duty, since we hear so much of duties nowadays, for who was it but you"—

"I know, madame, I know. I confess it. I have wronged you deeply. Believe me that every atonement which is in my power shall be made. Nay, do not look so angrily at me, I beg. Let our last sight of each other be one which may leave a pleasant memory behind it."

"A pleasant memory!" All the gentleness and humility had fallen from her now, and her voice had the hard ring of contempt and of anger. "A pleasant memory! It may well be pleasant to you, who are released from the woman whom you ruined, who can turn now to another without any pale face to be seen within the salons of your court to remind you of your perfidy. But to me, pining in some lonely country house, spurned by my husband, despised by my family, the scorn and jest of France, far from all which gave a charm to life, far from the man for whose love I have sacrificed everything—this will be a very pleasant memory to me, you may be sure."

The king's eyes had caught the angry gleam which shot from hers, and yet he strove hard to set a curb upon his temper. He felt that it was for him to do so, and yet it did not come kindly to his imperious nature.

"There is nothing to be gained, madame," said he, "by using words which are neither seemly for your tongue nor for my ears. You will do me the justice to confess that where I might command I am now entreating."

"Oh, you show too much consideration, sire! Our relations of twenty years or so can scarce suffice to explain such forbearance from you."

"Your words are bitter, madame. Francoise, be reasonable, I implore you. We have both left our youth behind."

"The allusion to my years comes gracefully from your lips."

"Ah, you distort my words. Then I shall say no more. You may not see me again, madame. Is there no question which you would wish to ask me before I go?"

"Good God," she cried, "is this a man? Has it a heart? Are these the lips which have told me so often that he loved me? Are these the eyes which have looked so fondly into mine? Can you then thrust away a woman whose life has been yours as you put away the St. Germain palace when a more showy one was ready for you? And this is the end of all those vows, these sweet whispers, those persuasions, those promises—this!"

"Nay, madame, this is painful to both of us."

"Pain! Where is the pain in your face? I see anger in it because I have dared to speak truth. I see joy in it because you feel that your vile task is done."

"My patience can bear no more!" cried the king furiously. "I leave you, madame, and forever!"

But her fury had swept all fear and discretion from her mind. She stepped between the door and him, her face flushed, her eyes blazing, her face thrust a little forward, one small white satin slipper tapping upon the carpet.

"You are in haste, sire? She is waiting for you doubtless. But it was a disappointment last night, was it not, my poor sire? Ah, and for the governess, what a blow! Great heaven, what a blow! No archbishop, no marriage, all the pretty plan gone wrong! Was it not cruel?"

Louis gazed at the beautiful, furious face in bewilderment, and it flashed across his mind that perhaps her grief had turned her brain. What else could be the meaning of this wild talk of the archbishop and the disappointment? It would be unworthy of him to speak harshly to one who was so afflicted. He must soothe her, and, above all, he must get away from her.

"You have had the keeping of a good many of my family jewels," said he. "I beg that you will still retain them as a small sign of my regard."

He had hoped to please her and to calm her, but in an instant she was over at her treasure cupboard hurling double handfuls of precious stones down at his feet. They clinked and rattled, the little pellets of red and yellow and green, rolling, glinting over the floor and rapping up against the oak panels at the base of the walls.

"They will do for the governess if the archbishop comes at last!" she cried.

He was more convinced than ever that she had lost her wits. A thought struck him by which he might appeal to all that was softer and more gentle in her nature. He stepped swiftly to the door, pushed it half open and gave a whispered order. A youth with long golden hair waving down over his black velvet doublet entered the room. It was her youngest son, the Count of Toulouse.

"I thought that you would wish to bid him farewell," said Louis.

She stood staring as though unable to realize the significance of his words. Then it was borne suddenly in upon



A woman had darted through the open door.

her that her children as well as her lover were to be taken from her, that this other woman should see them and speak with them and win their love while she was far away. All that was evil and bitter in the woman flushed suddenly up in her until for the instant she was what the king had thought her. If her son was not for her then he should be for none. A jeweled knife lay among her treasures ready to her

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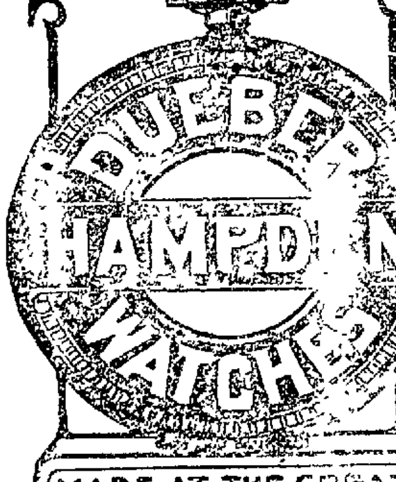
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The new capitol at Harrisburg is, it is true, one of the finest capitol buildings in the United States, but this does not justify the wholesale and reckless extravagance that has been shown up and is being shown up. There is every indication that the pockets of members of the gang and of the gang's favorite contractors have been well lined with the state's "velvet."

Many of the articles placed in the building and classed as "fittings" cost the state several times their market value; but that is not all. Trimmings that were sold to the commission as mahogany have proved to be putty and **PLASTER of PARIS.** At the Philadelphia meeting this week Lewis Emery, the fusion candidate for Governor, exhibited a section of a chair which cost $300 and was supposed to be **solid mahogany** but which proved to be **vencered white pine.** Such are the outrages that have been committed by the gang! But more than this. Many of the articles and parts of the building that have been bought and paid for as "extras" were included in the **original specifications.** It is not one but a **succession or series** of gigantic steals. The language we speak has no adjective to express it as a whole. **More than thirteen millions** for a building that was to cost **Four Millions!**

In round numbers there are 45,000 square miles in the state and in this county there are 100. If placed on a land basis this county had to pay one forty-fifth of $13,000,000 or almost $29,000.

It seems strange that the state of Pennsylvania, the "keystone of the combination," had no money for asylums and hospitals to take care of the imbecile of mind and the maimed and decrepit in body—could not furnish cots for the victims of diseases and accidents and yet could find **Nine Millions** to place in gilded "trimmings" and tinsel—much of which is a shame and a pretense!

This steal is an outrage upon the people of the state

"On whose soil the note was sounded
That this land no more should be
Ruled and ravaged by a tyrant,
By a master on the sea."

ME AND ROOSEVELT

The effort of John M. Reynolds to hitch his kite to the Roosevelt star is amusing in the extreme. Among the campaign literature which he is sending out is a card which contains on one side a cut of President Roosevelt —Theodore Roosevelt, who within the past week appointed a Democrat from New York to a position in his Cabinet. If President Roosevelt is so much concerned as John M. Reynolds would have us believe in his (Reynolds') re-election to Congress why would he appoint a Democrat to a position [illegible] more important? It is a matter of record that the Democrats of the last Congress stood closer to President Roosevelt than did members of the national house on the Republican side.

John M. Reynolds is a political trimmer whose only interest is in John M. Reynolds of Bedford. To secure aid in his candidacy he dictated resolutions for the county convention complimenting Penrose. It is reasonable to assume that he has secured that aid and is now linking his cart to Roosevelt, having gotten all he wants—boodle—from the Penrose gang in the state. Two years ago he boasted in one of his organs, the Bedford Inquirer, that the state organization would come to his rescue, which it did, with boodle, but could not save his home county for him. Now he temporarily throws aside the state organization and declares in his circular: "The man who attempts to drag the issues involved in my election into the controversies which have been distracting the party in our state or local affairs, is a deceiver." Well may he try to get away from state and local issues! (His very statement condemns his party in state and county.) But the cold fact remains that he **IS THE EXPONENT** of the Penrose gang in this county, and to repudiate the leader of the gang, Penrose, it is necessary to repudiate the leader of the "local annex" of the gang, John M. Reynolds of Bedford. But if his relation to Penrose and the gang were not sufficient reason to rebuke him, he should be turned down because he disregards "political promises and personal pledges" alike. He is the deceiver; he it was who basely ordered Hon. Joseph T. Alsip to be stabbed in the back at the last Republican primary; he is the **BIG BOSS** and any other who steps in his track he will trample upon; he it was who snubbed Miller and Oster by not inviting them to dine with the state candidates whom he entertained; he stumped the county for Palmer and Buckner and then voted for McKinley; he talked all over the county for the Prohibition amendment while a voice arose from his cellar condemning him; he howled free trade for 30 years and now preaches protection; he talked for **sound money and free trade** in the Palmer and Buckner campaign up to the eve of the election and on the morrow voted for high tariff—all for personal gain and aggrandizement.

STEALING NOMINATIONS

The matter of the Lincoln Party nominations for Congressman and State Senator is now settled and the names of John M. Reynolds and Dr. W. C. Miller are not in the column. Their attempt to capture these nominations has cost both of them votes in this county. They are both tricksters and schemers but the effort to get their names on the Lincoln Party ticket gives evidence of consummate gall. They both are candidates standing on a platform that compliments Penrose, the past master of the gang of grafters and boodlers. But the move on the part of both of them is one evidence that they are afraid of defeat in November. The rebuke administered by the court in expunging their names is but a forerunner of that greater rebuke to be administered by the voters of the districts on the sixth of November.

REPAIR THE PIKE

In mandamus proceedings against the Commissioners of Cumberland county to require them to repair the vacated Harrisburg and Carlisle turnpike Judge Sadler has filed an opinion in favor of the petitioners.

The turnpike from Harrisburg to Carlisle, a distance of eighteen miles, had been condemned and purchased by the Commissioners and the question was then raised whether the county or the various townships through which the road traverses should make needed repairs.

The Commissioners refused to make such expenditure until there was a judicial determination of the act of 1905.

This case is particularly interesting to the people of this conuty, for the vacated pike is in a most unsatisfactory condition, in places so rough as to be almost unfit for travel. At least one township through which the pike runs has done no work during the last year except what was absolutely necessary to prevent accidents.

As the decision of the Cumberland County Court places the burden of repairing the vacated pike in that county on the Commissioners so it is likely to be decided here. The Commissioners should act at once for the pike's condition in places is a disgrace to the county and to the community through which it runs.

William C. Miller

William C. Miller, who has been renominated for State Senator by the Republican machine of the district composed of Bedford, Fulton and Somerset counties, is a typical ringster.

Ever since Miller went to Harrisburg as a legislator, first as a member of the House of Representatives, and four years ago as Senator, his vote was at the command of the old Republican machine. The machine bosses never thought of consulting Miller when votes were needed to pass such bills as the "press muzzler," the trolley franchise steals, the Philadelphia "ripper" and other vicious and infamous legislation. They knew he would vote with the remainder of their creatures, regardless of how it affected the interests of his constituents, and they did not take the trouble to consult him in advance of the taking of the vote.

In and out of season Miller voted for the legislation endorsed by Penrose, Durham, McNichol and other machine bosses and against every reform measure advocated by the reform organizations of the state. Never once did he vote for the legislation to which the Lincoln Party, whose support he is now seeking, is committed in its state platform or for the legislation advocated by the Democratic party in its platform. To give Miller's record in detail would be simply to print a list of all the machine legislation driven through the Legislature since he first became a member. Nothing was too bad for Miller to vote for, so long as it bore the approval of Penrose and his crowd, and nothing was too good for him to vote against, if it did not meet with the approval of the machine.

With such a record as this it is little wonder that the honest, independent voters of this district are fighting Miller for re-election and are working for his opponent, General William H. Koontz of Somerset, who represents the honest, independent sentiment of the district.

Aside from his loyalty to the Republican state machine, Miller is a product of the Somerset county Republican machine, through whose efforts he was nominated for Senator four years ago and re-nominated this year.

The head and front of the Somerset machine is State Banking Commissioner Berkey, who is conspicuous as a state official only for his chronic absenteeism. Berkey spent only 34 days at his office from January 1 to September 8 last, and for each day he was at his office he was actually paid by the state $117.65.

Senator Penrose is making strenuous efforts for Miller's election because he needs his vote when a United States Senator is to be elected in the session of 1909. Voters of the district should remember that a vote for Miller is a vote for Penrose and that a vote for Koontz is a vote against Penrose and the gang which has plundered and disgraced Pennsylvania for years.

Enough Coal for 400 Years

The Royal Commission of experts on British coal supplies reports sufficient coal unmined to last about 400 years at the present rate of consumption, so that there is no need to worry about the fuel question. There is also no need to worry when the appetite is poor, the nerves unstrung, sleep restless and the bowels constipated. Just get a bottle of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters from your druggist and take a dose before meals and at bedtime and see how quickly your ailments will disappear. You'll wonder why you suffered so long when the medicine to cure you was always within your reach. It always cures poor appetite, belching, flatulency, insomnia, nervousness, constipation, dyspepsia, indigestion, female ills, biliousness, liver and kidney ills or malaria, fever and ague. Try it today.

Morgart-Custer

A very pretty wedding took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Custer of Stoyestown, Pa., on Wednesday, October 10, at 3:30 p. m., when their daughter, Sarah J., became the bride of Robert G. Morgart of Johnstown. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. B. Rebert of the Reformed church. Both young people are well known throughout Johnstown, the bride having been a popular saleslady in one of the department stores of that place. The groom is a very estimable young man and holds a prominent position with the Johnstown Sanitary Dairy Co., being formerly from Bedford county, where he had been a competent school teacher. The contracting parties left Johnstown Wednesday evening for Tennessee and other southern points. They will make their future home in Johnstown.

Fondelier-Leonard

Wednesday evening, October 24, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Leonard, at Sunnyside, near Bedford, Charles W. Fondelier and iMss Mary E. Leonard, both of Johnstown, were united in the bonds of holy matrimony by Rev. M. L. Culler of the Lutheran church. Mr. Fondelier is employed as a machinist by the Westinghouse Air-Brake Company at Wilmerding, where they will make their future home. The bride has many friends here who extend their congratulations.

Married at Cumberland

Dr. Maurice Cameron Stayer of Woodbury and Miss Maud Gardner of Rockwood were married at the home of W. H. Ash in Cumberland on Wednesday, October 24, by Rev. W. M. Tinker, pastor of the First Baptist church.

St. Clairsville Reformed Charge

St. Clairsville: Sunday school 9 a. m.; preaching 10 a. m., Rev. Adolphus Walter will occupy the pulpit. No preaching service at Imler.
J. Wm. Zehring, Pastor.

Mrs. A. B. Manges

Ann Catherine, wife of A. B. Manges, died at her home near Helixville on Wednesday, October 10, after an illness of three months from a complication of diseases, aged 59 years, 10 months and 15 days. Deceased was a daughter of Jacob and Margaret Hiner and was born in Napier township on November 25, 1846. On June 20, 1865, she was united in marriage with A. B. Manges who, with one daughter, Mary Emily, wife of Henry L. Miller of Johnstown, survives; she is also survived by one sister, Mrs. Margaret E. May of Chicago, and two uncles, Samuel Adams of Bard and Josiah Adams of Snake Spring.

Mrs. Manges was a woman of kind and cheerful disposition, making life pleasant for all with whom she associated and in her death the family loses a loving wife and mother, and the community a kind friend and neighbor. Funeral services were conducted at the late home by Rev. Rittenhouse on October 12, and interment was made in the cemetery near Schellsburg. The pall bearers were John Crissman, William Hinson, B. O. Miller, A. J. Gordon, Randall McCreary and George McMillen. The family return their thanks to the friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted them during their bereavement.
A. Friend.

George Bloom

George Bloom of Wolfsburg dropped dead at the home of Harry Clites, at that place, about 11 o'clock Wednesday morning, October 24, in his 57th year. He was married to Miss Miranda Sleek who, with three children, survives him: Mrs. Silas Clites of Wolfsburg and Dave and Harry at home.

Funeral services will be conducted at the late home at noon today and interment will be made at St. Clairsville.

Claar Ickes

Claar Ickes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ickes, of Wolfsburg, died in a Pittsburg hospital, yesterday, of typhoid fever, aged 19 years. The body was brought to his home by his father. Particulars of the young man's death will appear next week.

Lawrence Edwards

The body of Lawrence Edwards, who died at Polk, Venango county, in June, was brought to Bedford on Wednesday and laid to rest beside his parents in the old Catholic cemetery. Mr. Edwards was a son of William and Mary Jamison Edwards and is survived by two brothers, Demetrius of West Virginia and William of Bedford, and one sister, Miss Mary A. Edwards of the City Hospital, St. Paul, Minn., who brought the body to Bedford.

Mrs. Thomas Amick

Mrs. Hettie Amick, wife of Thomas Amick, died at her home in Roxbury, Bedford township, on Sunday, October 21, at the age of 72 years, 11 months and six days. Her maiden name was Claar. She is survived by her husband, three sons and three daughters. She was a member of the Reformed church. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. W. Lingle in the Pleasant Valley Lutheran church Tuesday morning and interment was made in the cemetery adjoining.

School Report

The following is the report of Pine Grove school for the first month, ending October 19, 1906: Number enrolled—males, 12; females, 15; total, 27. Per cent. of attendance—males, 98; females, 86; total, 94. Honor roll: Ethel Cornell, Ethel Steckman, Amanda Price, Pearl and Lydia Thomas, Erma Garlick, Mary and Sara Robison, Zella Koons, Estella Fletcher, Roy Cornell, Ellis Koons, William and Randolph Wareham, Earl Sparks, Russell Bridges, Walter and Chester Robison, Royle Barkman and Earlston Garlick.
Harry B. Thomas, Teacher.

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as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by Druggists. Price, 75c per bottle.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Everett Glass Works Sold

The following is an extract from the Everett Press of October 19:

"At a meeting of the stockholders of the Everett Glass Company on Monday evening, the real estate owned by the corporation passed into the hands of the Huntingdon and Broad Top Mountain Railroad and Coal Company, the consideration being $5,000. The railroad company was one of the largest stockholders of the concern. The land will be utilized for various railroad purposes. The machinery used at the plant is for sale, as well as the building, the railroad company purchasing only the land."

POST AND GAZETTE

The Post is unquestionably the best morning daily paper in Pittsburg, and you can get it with the Bedford Weekly Gazette, both papers, only $3.50 for one year.
Send your order to this office.

Wolfsburg Circuit

Preaching on October 28 as follows: Wolfsburg at 10 a. m.; Trans Run at 2:30 p. m.; Rainsburg at 7:30 p. m. E. C. Keboch, Pastor.

MERIT

The Only Thing That Counts

This Ready-to-Wear Clothing and Shoe Business has made a wonderful advance in the last few years. It has been a steady, strong growth—not produced by sensational or claptrap methods.

Why Has It Grown?

Because people believe in us—because Merit is the only thing that permanently makes success.

If a business can hold its old customers despite the efforts of competitors to lure them away, and in addition steadily gains new trade, it's an entirely safe proposition that it is going ahead every year. That's exactly what we are doing. The place where so many are satisfied must be a good place to deal—don't you think so? Now a word about

Fall and Winter Goods

Men's Suits and Overcoats

to begin with, at **$10, $12 and $15,** we are showing better values than former years; more style, better made and in all the latest shades including Black and Blue.

Young Men's Suits and Overcoats

at the following prices: **$12, $10, $8 and $5,** fourteen patterns to select from, every garment is warranted.

Children's Suits and Overcoats

in great variety at **$5, $3.50, $3 and $2,** splendidly tailored and made of all wool goods. You'll find these very big Bargains.

UNDERWEAR

for Men, Women and Children, all sorts and sizes. Men's extra heavy fleeced Shirts and Drawers at **37c,** value 50c.

Ladies' Coats

Four new models this week, at **$7.50,** worth $10: English all wool Kersey cloth, 50 inches long, in black, tan, castor and plaid, trimmed with braid and pan velvet, also strapped, a beautiful garment for seven-fifty, besides 20 styles of others from $20 down to $5.

A Word About Shoes

The Shoe business this season will be the hardest to contend with, for the reason that leather is high and therefore a great many manufacturers counterfeit their goods. Here is where we come in. We saw this advance coming and therefore bought early,—the result is we paid no advance and can therefore sell our Shoes at the same old price. Besides this, we warrant every pair of Shoes we sell to give good wear or a new pair in exchange. **MEN'S and WOMEN'S SHOES** from **$1.50** to **$3.50,** besides **WALK-OVER** Shoes, which are **$3.50, $4 and $5.**

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Sulphur Springs Charge

Services at Trinity, on Dry Ridge, Friday evening at 7 o'clock; preparatory services Saturday afternoon at 2:30, and services in the evening at 7 o'clock. Holy Communion Sunday at 10:30 a. m. No services at Mann's Choice on Sunday.
C. W. Warlick, Pastor.

Lutheran Church Services

On Sabbath, October 28, Holy Communion at St. Mark's at 10 a. m.; preparatory services at 10 a. m. on Saturday. Services at Bald Hill Sunday at 2:30 p. m.
J. W. Lingle, Pastor.

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General Election Proclamation

God Save the Commonwealth.

WHEREAS, BY THE TENTH Section of an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, entitled "An Act to amend the 10th Section of an Act entitled, 'An Act to regulate the nomination and election of public officers, requiring certain expenses incident thereto to be paid by the several counties, and punishing certain offenses in regard to such election,'" approved the 26th day of June, A. D. 1895, it is provided as follows:

Section 10—It shall be the duty of the Sheriff of every county, at least ten days before any general election to be held therein, except borough and township elections to give notice of the same by advertisements in at least three newspapers, if there be so many published in the county, two of said newspapers representing so far as practicable the political party which at the preceding November election cast the largest number of votes and the other one of said newspapers representing so far as practicable the political party which at the preceding November election cast the next largest number of votes, and in addition thereto the Sheriff of every county shall, at least ten days before any general election to be held in cities of the first, second and third classes, give notice of the same by proclamation posted up in the most conspicuous places in every election district in said cities of the first, second and third class and in every such advertisement or proclamation,

I. Enumerate the officers to be elected and give a list of all the nominations made as provided in this act and to be voted for in such county, and the full text of all constitutional amendments submitted to a vote of the people, but the proclamation posted in each election district need not contain the names of any candidates but those to be voted for in such district.

II. Designate the place at which the election is to be held.

III. He shall give notice that every person, excepting justices of the peace, who shall hold any office or appointment of profit or trust under the government of the United States, or of this State, or of any city or incorporated district, whether a commissioned officer or otherwise, a subordinate officer or agent who is or shall be employed under the Legislative, Executive or Judiciary Department of this State or of the United States, or of any city or incorporated district; and also that every member of Congress and of the State Legislature, and of the select or common council of any city, or commissioners of any incorporated district, is by law, incapable of holding or exercising at the same time the office or appointment of judge, inspector or clerk of any election of this commonwealth, and that no inspector, judge or other officer of any such election shall be eligible to any office to be then voted for except that of an election officer.

Therefore, I, JOSEPH P. IMLER, High Sheriff of the County of Bedford, do make known by this proclamation, to the electors of said county, that a general election will be held on

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 1906,

(it being the Tuesday next following the first Monday of said month) in the several election districts of Bedford county, at which time and place the said electors will vote by ballot for the following officers to wit:

One person for Governor of Pennsylvania.

One person for Lieutenant Governor of Pennsylvania.

One person for Auditor General of Pennsylvania.

One person for Secretary of Internal Affairs in the State of Pennsylvania.

One person for Representative in the Congress of the United States from the 19th District of Pennsylvania.

One person for Representative in the State Senate of Pennsylvania from the 36th Senatorial District.

One person for Representative in the House of Representatives from Bedford County.

One person for Director of the Poor in Bedford County.

One person for Jury Commissioner in Bedford County.

PENNSYLVANIA
Office of
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

This certifies that the following is the official list of names of the parties or policies represented by all candidates, whose nomination certificates, or papers, have been filed in this office, and which have not been found and declared to be invalid as provided in Section 9 of the Act of June 10th, A. D 1893, and who are to be voted for in the State at large, and in the Nineteenth Congressional District, Thirty-sixth Senatorial District, Representative District for the County of Bedford, at the ensuing election November 6th, 1906.

To vote a straight party ticket mark a cross (X) in the square opposite the name of the party of your choice in the first column.

A cross mark in the square opposite the name of any candidate indicates a vote for that candidate.

The voter may insert in the blank space at the bottom of each group the name of any person whose name is not printed on the ballot for whom he desires to vote.

GOVERNOR
(Mark One)
Republican
Citizens
EDWIN S. STUART
Democratic
Commonwealth
Lincoln
Referendum
Union Labor
LEWIS EMERY, JR.
Prohibition
HOMER L. CASTLE
Socialist
JAMES A. MAURER
Socialist Labor
JOHN DESMOND

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR
(Mark One)
Republican
Citizens
ROBERT S. MURPHY
Democratic
Commonwealth
Lincoln
Referendum
Union Labor
JEREMIAH S. BLACK
Prohibition
H. D. PATTON
Socialist
CHARLES P. GILDEA
Socialist Labor
JAMES CLARK

AUDITOR GENERAL
(Mark One)
Republican
Citizens
ROBERT K. YOUNG
Democratic
Prohibition
Commonwealth
Lincoln
Referendum
Union Labor
WILLIAM T. CREASY
Socialist
EDWARD MOORE
Socialist Labor
WILLIAM H. THOMAS

SECRETARY OF INTERNAL AFFAIRS
(Mark One)
Republican
Citizens
HENRY HOUCK
Democratic
Commonwealth
Lincoln
Referendum
Union Labor
JOHN J. GREEN
Prohibition
GEORGE HOFFMAN
Socialist
HENRY W. KANE
Socialist Labor
JAMES A. McCONNELL

REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS
(Mark One)
Republican
JOHN M. REYNOLDS
Democratic
Prohibition
Lincoln
Referendum
Commonwealth
JOSEPH E. THROPP
Bryan
WARREN WORTH BAILEY
Pennsylvania Blacksmith
JOHN W. BLAKE

SENATOR IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY
(Mark One)
Republican
WILLIAM C. MILLER
Democratic
Lincoln
Referendum
Commonwealth
WILLIAM H. KOONTZ
Prohibition
S. C. HARTLEY

REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY
(Mark One)
Republican
GEORGE W. OSTER
Democratic
Lincoln
Referendum
Commonwealth
EDMUND S. DOTY

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Secretary's office to be affixed this 22d day of October, A. D. 1906.

ROBERT McAFEE,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

[Seal]

To the Sheriff, County of Bedford, Bedford, Pa.

State of Pennsylvania,
County of Bedford.

Office of the County Commissioners.

This certifies that the following is the official list of the names of the parties or policies represented by all candidates whose nomination certificates or papers have been filed in this office, and which have not been found and declared to be invalid, as provided in Section 9 of the Act of June 10th, A. D. 1893, and who are to be voted for, in the County of Bedford, at the ensuing election, November 6th, 1906.

DIRECTOR OF THE POOR
(Mark One)
Republican
GEORGE A. HILLEGASS
Democrat
Commonwealth
Lincoln
Referendum
JAMES B. CESSNA
Prohibition
M. WENDLE
Socialist
GEORGE H. KNISLEY

JURY COMMISSIONER
(Mark One)
Republican
DARWIN P. WRIGHT
Democrat
Commonwealth
Lincoln
Referendum
ALLEN A. DIEHL
Prohibition
Z. P. HORTON
Socialist
CHARLES ELLIOTT

In testimony whereof, we have hereunto set our hands and caused the seal of the Commissioners' Office to be affixed this 25th day of October, A. D. 1906.

GEO. H. APPLEMAN,
BALTZER SNYDER,
GEO. H. ZIMMERMAN,
County Commissioners.

[Seal]
Attest: JAMES F. MICKEL,
Commissioners' Clerk.

To Joseph P. Imler, Sheriff of Bedford County, Pa.

I hereby also make known and give notice that the places for holding the aforesaid election in the several wards, boroughs, townships and districts within said county are as follows, to wit:

The electors of the Western District of Bedford borough, to meet at the cabinet shop of M. A. Stoner, adjoining the residence of Merrick Stoner, on the northwest corner of Thomas and Pitt streets in said district.

The electors of the Eastern District of Bedford borough, to meet at the room occupied as a barber shop by Henry Crawley in the Anderson row in the said district.

The electors of Bedford township, to meet in the chair shop of Joseph B. May, on the south side of East Pennsylvania near the Bedford borough line in said township.

The electors of Broad Top township, to meet in the Golden Eagle hall in the village of Riddlesburg in said township.

The electors of Bloomfield township, to meet at the house of Adam Diehl in said township.

The electors of Colerain township, to meet at the election house in the village of Charlesville, in said township.

The electors of Coaldale borough, to meet in the school house in said borough.

The electors of Cumberland Valley township, to meet in the I. O. O. F. Hall building in Centreville in said township.

The electors of the borough of Everett, to meet in the northeast room, ground floor, of firemen's hall in said borough.

The electors of Harrison township, to meet at the election house on land owned by John Brant at or near the village of Buffalo Mills on the road leading from Mann's Choice to Hyndman.

The electors of Hopewell borough, to meet in the Opera House in said borough.

The electors of Hopewell township, to meet at the election house at Benjamin Hall's mill in said township.

The electors of Juniata township, to meet at the election house in the village of New Buena Vista in said township.

The electors of the borough of Hyndman, to meet at the council chamber on Centre street in said borough.

The electors of Kimmell township, to meet in the front room of A. I. Claar's house in the town of Queen.

The electors of King township, to meet at Imler's school house in said township.

The electors of Liberty township, to meet at the election house on a lot on 3d and Wall street, being lot No. 91 in the village of Stonerstown.

The electors of Lincoln township, to meet at the election house on the lands of Joseph Stombaugh near the village of Lovely.

The electors of Londonderry township, to meet in the new election house in said township.

The electors of Mann's Choice borough, to meet in building owned by Wm. H. Cuppett, deceased, known as the "Big Red House" in said borough.

The electors of Mann township, to meet at the house of John A. Morse in said township.

The electors of Monroe township, to meet at the house of David Barkman, in the town of Clearville, in said township.

The electors of New Paris borough, to meet at the house of John Coplin, in said borough.

The electors of Napier township, to meet at an election house erected on a lot on road leading from Schellsburg to Fishertown about 600 yards from the limits of the borough of Schellsburg in said township.

The electors of Pleasantville borough, to meet in a room on the first floor of the Golden Eagle Hall in said borough.

The electors of East Providence township, to meet at the election house in the village of Breezewood, in said township.

The electors of West Providence township, to meet at an election house on lot No. 14, on State street in said township.

The electors of Rainsburg borough, to meet at the house of Joseph Cessna in said borough.

The electors of Schellsburg borough, to meet in the basement of the Odd Fellows Hall in said borough.

The electors of Saxton borough, to meet at the borough building on the corner of Spring and Catharine streets in said borough.

The electors of the borough of St. Clairsville, to meet at the Odd Fellows' Hall building in said borough.

The electors of East St. Clair township, to meet at the house erected for election purposes on the farm of David H. Bowser, in said township.

The electors of West St. Clair township, to meet in the shop of Morgan Prosser, in said township.

The electors of Snake Spring township, to meet at the election house on a lot on the southeast corner of George Reighard's farm fronting the public road leading from Bedford to Loysburg, in said election district.

The electors of Southampton township, residing in election district No. 1 to meet at the school house near the land of the heirs of Archibald Perdew, deceased, in said township.

The electors of Southampton No. 2, to meet at the election house erected on a piece of land owned by Elza McElfish, situated near the centre of the village of Chaneysville on the main road leading to Flintstone, Maryland.

The electors of Union township, to meet at the election house on lands of J. H. Dibert in the village of Pavia, in said township.

The electors of Woodbury township, to meet at the house of Jacob Newcomer, adjoining the borough of Woodbury, in said township.

The electors of Woodbury borough, to meet at the building owned by the P. O. S. of A., on Main street in said borough.

The electors of South Woodbury township, to meet at the new election house in New Enterprise in said township.

Time of Opening and Closing Polls.

At all elections hereafter held under the laws of this Commonwealth the polls shall be opened at 7 o'clock a. m., and closed at 7 o'clock p. m., Act 3d January, 1874, Section 5.

Given under my hand at my office in the Borough of Bedford, Bedford County, Pennsylvania, this 25th day of October, A. D. 1906, and the one hundred and thirty-first year of the Independence of the United States of America.

JOSEPH P. IMLER,
High Sheriff of Bedford County, Pa.

Sheriff's Office, Bedford, October 25, 1906.

SHERIFF'S SALES

By virtue of sundry writs of Fieri Facias and Levari Facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Bedford county, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale at the court house in the Borough of Bedford, County of Bedford and State of Pennsylvania, at 1 o'clock p. m., on

Saturday, November 10, 1906.

All of defendant's right, title and interest of, in and to a lot of ground situated in Lincoln township, Bedford county, Pennsylvania, bounded on the north by David T. Christ, D. P. Mock and S. B. Mock, on the east by Isaac Burket, on the south by John Barefoot and Elmer Miller, and on the west by S. B. Hartel; containing 133 acres, more or less, and having thereon erected a one and one-half story Log Dwelling House.

Seized and taken in execution and to the sold as the property of John H. Feather, defendant.

Also—All of defendants' right, title and interest of, in and to a certain half of ground situated, lying and being in the Borough of Bedford, County of Bedford and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Fronting 35 feet on north side of Union street and extending north at the same width 200 feet to a 25-foot alley, adjoining Union street on the south, lot of Lydia Fletcher on the west, an alley on the north, and a lot of John R. Barks on the east; having a two-story L Plank Dwelling, Plank Stable and other out buildings thereon erected.

Seized and taken in execution and to be sold as the property of John T. Barks and Mary Barks, defendants.

Also—All of defendant's right, title and interest of, in and to a tract of land situated, lying and being in Harrison township, Bedford county, Pennsylvania, bounded on the north by lands of Samuel Herr, on the west by lands of Jackson Kerr, on the south by lands of Rufus Zembower, and on the east by lands of John Egolf and Samuel Miller; containing 102 acres, more or less, and having thereon erected a two-story frame Dwelling House and Frame Barn.

Seized and taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Jacob Spiker, defendant.

Also—All of defendant's right, title and interest of, in and to the following tracts of land:

No. 1. A tract of land situated in Monroe township, Bedford county, Pennsylvania, adjoining lands of William M. Hall's heirs, Ira Imler, other lands of J. B. Adams, Francis Collins and U. S. Leather Company; containing 250 acres, more or less, about 100 acres cleared and balance in timber and having thereon erected a two-story Frame Dwelling House, Barn and other out buildings.

No. 2. A tract of land situated in Monroe township, Bedford county, Pennsylvania, adjoining tract No. 1, above mentioned, lands of John R. Hymes, F. T. Collins, Top Barkman, and Lewis Potts; containing 181¾ acres, more or less, about all in timber.

Seized and taken in execution and to be sold as the property of J. B. Adams, defendant.

TERMS:—The price for which the property is sold must be paid at the time of sale, or such other arrangement made as will be approved, otherwise the property will be immediately put up and sold at the risk and expense of the person to whom it was first sold, and in case of deficiency at such resale, shall make good the same, and in no instance will the deed be acknowledged unless the money is actually paid to the sheriff. Purchasers who are lien creditors, must procure certified list of liens for the sheriff in order to apply the amount of bill or any part thereof on their liens.

JOS. P. IMLER,
Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, October 17, 1906.

REGISTER'S NOTICES

The following Administrators', and Guardians' and Executors' accounts have been filed in the Recorder's Office for confirmation in the Orphans' Court of Bedford County, Wednesday, November 14, 1906:

1. The second account of B. F. Madore, guardian of Albert C., Ida Maud and Emma Johnson, minor children of Moses Johnson, late of Bedford borough, deceased.

2. The first and final account of H. E. May, administrator and trustee to sell the real estate of Helen M. May, late of Everett borough, deceased.

3. Account of C. R. Williams, administrator of Jesse R. Williams, late of West St. Clair township, Bedford county, Pa., deceased.

4. The first and final account of Silas Robison, executor of the last will and testament of Mary Potts, late of Mann township, Bedford county, Pa., deceased.

5. Account of DeCharmes Davis, Jr., administrator, to sell the real estate of the late Thomas Davis, deceased.

6. Account of A. C. Ellis, executor of the last will and testament of Joseph Kirby, late of King township, Bedford county, Pa., deceased.

7. The first and final account of Uriah Blackburn and Jacob McCreary, executors of Lydia A. Cleaver, late of East St. Clair township, Bedford county, Pa., deceased.

8. The first and final account of George Z. Replogle, administrator d. b. n. c. t. a. of George B. Replogle, late of South Woodbury township, Bedford county, Pa., deceased.

9. The first account of James E. Ford, executor of the last will and testament of M. W. Ford, late of Broad Top township, Bedford county, Pa., deceased.

10. The second and final account of William Beegle, executor of the estate of Baltzer Wertz, late of St. Clairsville, Bedford county, Pa., deceased.

11. The account of Wayne Zimmers and Robert C. McNamara, executors of the last will and testament of Samuel Walter, late of Bedford township, deceased.

FRANCIS M. AMOS,
Register.

Oct. 19-t4.

SALE REGISTER

All persons having sale bills printed at this office get a free notice in the sale register. This is worth several times the price of the bills.

At Imlertown on Thursday, November 8, at 1 p. m., Samuel Hammond will offer for sale his farm, containing 100 acres, new barn 30x60 feet, good frame house, 1,000 apple-trees planted three years ago; 16 acres fine meadow land close to Imlertown; horses, cattle, sleigh, wagons, buggy, drill, mower, reaper, and other farm implements; 9-horse power gasoline engine and chop mill in good condition.

H. Grant Diehl, administrator of Edward H. Wetstone, will offer at public sale on the premises, two miles west of Bedford, on Thursday, November 1, the mansion farm, containing about 130 acres, about 120 acres cleared and fenced and the balance in timber, having thereon erected a two-story frame dwelling, new bank barn and out buildings.

Albert Smith will offer for sale at his place of residence in Cumberland Valley on Thursday, November 1, at one o'clock, his entire flock of 75 head of sheep, all ewes. Farmers needing sheep will do well to attend this sale.

George Ellenberger will offer at public sale on the premises in Napier township, one mile from Helixville, on Saturday, November 17, at one o'clock p. m., 211 acres adjoining lands of Henry Ellenberger, John Crissman, Benjamin Egolf and others, having thereon a large frame barn, 40x80 feet, a two-story log house and out buildings; also an 11-acre lot adjoining the above, on which is a frame house, good stable and summer house.

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St. Clairsville Lutheran Pastorate

The feast of dedication will be observed at the Messiah Lutheran church, Sunday, October 28. The sermon will be preached by Rev. J. H. Zinn at 10 a. m.; evening service at 7 o'clock. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

J. H. Diehl, Pastor.

ONE HUNDRED YEARS AGO

From the Bedford Gazette of October 26, 1805.

Children

I am a great advocate for whipping children. Some persons talk of reasoning with such beings; it is impossible—they cannot be governed by appealing to their good sense, their love of parents and respect for instruction. How passionate, irrational a creature is man at full age, in the height of his faculties, in the bloom of his excellence! Do you think children more reasonable because they are younger? If they play truant, would a lecture on the importance of education be so good to their minds as the rod to their backs? Parents may rely on it that they are too indulgent if they never whip and seldom scold. The mother has generally the care of the young, and very often contrives to hide from the father the faults of the child, and sometimes he hides from himself the wicked tricks of the boy or girl. The child deceives both and the instructor deceives all. Butler says,

"Doubtless the pleasure is as great, of being cheated, as to cheat;" and when I survey the education, commonly practiced, I am apt to think Butler was very near right for never did I read or remark such a general system of cheats, cheaters and cheated.

Different Viewpoints

While Reynolds' organs are claiming Mr. Thropp to be a hard taskmaster, the men at the Riddlesburg furnace, in which Mr. Reynolds is interested, are applying for positions at the Saxton furnace, recently acquired by Mr. Thropp.

Thanksgiving Proclamation

On Tuesday President Roosevelt issued a proclamation naming Thursday, November 29, as the day of Thanksgiving. In the course of his proclamation the President says:

"Never before in our history or in the history of any other nation has a people enjoyed more abounding material prosperity than is ours; a prosperity so great that it should arouse in us no spirit of reckless pride, and least of all a spirit of heedless disregard of our responsibilities, but rather a sober sense of our many blessings, and a resolute purpose, under Providence, not to forfeit them by any action of our own.

"Material well-being, indispensable though it is, can never be anything but the foundation of true national greatness and happiness. If we build nothing upon this foundation, then our national life will be as meaningless, where only the foundation has been laid. Upon our material well-being must be built a superstructure or individual and national life lived in accordance with the laws of the highest morality, or else our prosperity itself will in the long run turn out a curse instead of a blessing. We should be both reverently thankful for what we have received and earnestly bent upon turning it into a means of grace and not of destruction."

Big Fire at Altoona

Last Friday morning about 6 o'clock fire broke out in the large Rothert store on Twelfth avenue, and in a remarkably short time the Rothert building, the new Mishler theatre, and the Elk home just across the alley on Twelfth street, were in ruins. The Altoona Trust Company structure, and the office building of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, which are on the opposite side of the street, were damaged slightly. The loss is estimated at about $500,000, as these buildings were just new. The Mishler theatre was one of the most modern and elaborately equipped play houses in the state.

Walking Around the World

Anton Hanslian, an Austrian, champion walker, arrived in Bedford about 4 o'clock yesterday, pushing a small cart in which was seated a woman, with a little girl trudging along beside. Hanslian left Vienna in September, 1900, on a walking tour around the world; if he completes the journey in seven years he wins a purse of $10,000 put up by a Vienna sporting club.

The weight of the cart and belongings is about 460 pounds and includes tent, cooking utensils and outfit. Hanslian is an intelligent little man and says he speaks 22 languages. We wish him success on his trip around the world and trust the purse is already won.

The Ladies' World

You will find all our departments full of interesting features next month. Busy women who are often puzzled how to keep the little people occupied pleasantly and profitably will find a new incentive in The Mother's Corner, where one of our mothers—Jean Wilde Clark—tells us what to do "With Scissors and Paste." There is also a delightful hint as to how to utilize your Ladies' World covers—the ones you like the best. Illustrated with photographs. Home Decoration has a finely-illustrated article on 'A New Method of Applique Work," with both text and drawings by Arthur E. Gleed. Many uses for this work will suggest themselves to the reader, as it is adaptable to almost anything of a decorative nature. Artistic Needlework for November has the most attractive imported designs we have ever shown. Among the novelties is a handsome renaissance bolero, which is known in up-to-date parlance as the Bridge Jacket, because of its recent popularity for housewear.

Dunning's Creek Reformed Charge

Pleasant Hill: Sunday school 9 a. m.; preaching 10 a. m.; catechetical lecture 11 a. m.; missionary meeting 7 p. m. B. F. Bausman, Pastor.

Even Oster condemned gang legislation in his speech at the Reynolds convention, though the resolutions pledge him to Penrose.

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THE REFUGEES

(Continued from second page.)

hand. She caught it up and rushed at the cowering lad.

Louis screamed and ran forward to stop her, but another had been swifter than he. A woman had darted through the open door and had caught the upraised wrist. There was a moment's struggle, two queenly figures swayed and strained, and the knife dropped between their feet. The frightened Louis caught it up, and, seizing his little son by the wrist, he rushed from the apartment. Francoise de Montespan staggered back against the ottoman to find herself confronted by the steady eyes and set face of that other Francoise, the woman whose presence fell like a shadow at every turn of her life.

"I have saved you, madame, from doing that which you would have been the first to bewail."

"Saved me! It is you who have driven me to this—you, whom I picked up when you were hard pressed for a crust of bread or a cup of sour wine. What had you? You had nothing—nothing except a name which was a laughingstock. And what did I give you? I gave you everything. You know that I gave you everything—money, position, the entrance to the court. You had them all from me. And now you mock me!"

"Madame, I do not mock you. I pity you from the bottom of my heart."

"Pity? Ha, ha! A Mortemart is pitied by the widow Scarron! Your pity may go where your gratitude is, and where your character is. We shall be troubled with it no longer then."

"Your words do not pain me. I have never had an evil thought toward you."

"None toward me? Oh, woman, woman!"

"What have I done, then? The king came to my room to see the children taught. He stayed. He talked. He asked my opinion on this and that. Could I be silent, or could I say other than what I thought?"

"And so, by your own confession, you stole the king's love from me, most virtuous of widows!"

"I had all gratitude and kindly thought for you. You have, as you have so often reminded me, been my benefactress. It was not necessary for you to say it, for I had never for an instant forgotten it."

"Pah! Your hypocrisy sickens me! If you pretend to be a nun, why are you not where the nuns are? I was honest, and what I did I did before the world. You, behind your priests and your directors and your prie-dieus and your missals—do you think that you deceive me as you deceive others?"

Her antagonist's gray eyes sparkled for the first time, and she took a quick step forward, with one white hand half lifted in rebuke.

"You may speak as you will of me," she said. "To me it is no more than the foolish parrakeet that chatters in your anteroom. But do not touch upon things which are sacred. Ah, if you would but raise your own thoughts to such things—if you would but turn them inward and see before it is too late how vile and foul is this life which you have led! What might you not have done? His soul was in your hands like clay for the potter. If you had raised him up, if you had led him on the higher path, if you had brought out all that was noble and good within him, how your name would have been loved and blessed from the chateau to the cottage! But no. You dragged him down, you wasted his youth, you drew him from his wife, you marred his manhood. Take heed, madame, for God's sake take heed ere it be too late! For all your beauty there can be for you, as for me, a few short years of life. Then, when that brown hair is white, when that white cheek is sunken, when that bright eye is dimmed—ah, then God pity the sin stained soul of Francoise de Montespan!"

Her rival had sunk her head for the moment before the solemn words and the beautiful eyes. For an instant she stood silent, cowed for the first time in all her life, but then the mocking, defiant spirit came back to her, and she glanced up with a curling lip.

"I am already provided with a spiritual director, thank you," said she.

"Oh, madame, you must not think to throw dust in my eyes! I know you and know you well!"

"On the contrary, you seem to know less than I had expected. If you know me so well, pray what am I?"

All her rival's bitterness and hatred rang in the tones of her answer. "You are," said she, "the governess of my children and the secret mistress of the king."

"You are mistaken," answered Mme. de Maintenon serenely. "I am the governess of your children and I am the king's wife."

(To be Continued).

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ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE

[Estate of Catharine Ann Hanks, late of Cumberland Valley Township, Bedford County, Pa., Deceased.]

Letters of administration c. t. a. on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to

RACHEL HANKS,
Administratrix, c. t. a.,
R. F. D. No. 1, Cumberland Valley.
B. F. MADORE,
Attorney Oct. 19-w6.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

[Estate of John B. Pote, late of Bloomfield Township, Bedford County, Pa., Deceased.]

Letters testamentary on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to

ANDREW C. POTE,
Baker's Summit, Pa.
SIMON H. SELL, Executor
Attorney. Sept. 21-w6.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE

[Estate of Philip Mock, late of East St. Clair Township, Bedford County, Pa., Deceased.]

Letters testamentary on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to

JOSEPH MOCK or
E. E. MOCK,
Or to Executors, &c.,
H. D. TATE, Cessna, Pa
Attorney. Oct. 5-w6.

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BLANKENBURG'S ARTICLE

Forty Years in the Wilderness or Masters and Rulers of

"THE FREEMEN"

A New Declaration of Independence —Figures Furnished by the President of the U. G. I.

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(Continued from last issue.)

White-slave dens, places of the lowest imaginable order, where ignorant girls are lured to a horrible fate and kept prisoners, sprang up during the Ashbridge administration, and had reached their greatest number a few months ago when the Law and Order Society started on its most successful crusade. In striking at the white-slave evil the society hit one of the bulwarks of the Organization's strength. The members of the white-slave syndicate, many of whom are now in jail, are politically powerful. One of them, "Abe" Carlos, was strong enough to get the recommendation of David J. Smyth, then Director of Public Safety, and James L. Miles, the High Sheriff, for a private-detective license. Another, "Eddie" Cullen, who died several weeks ago, was allowed to run a gamblingden in which policemen in uniform were often seen, either drinking or gambling. In political cases policemen were sometimes sent to Cullen for orders.

It is such conditions that the Law and Order Society has had to contend against, with Secretary Gibboney's life threatened, the police force opposed to him, and other sworn officers of the law throwing every possible obstacle in his path; but his work will continue until an honest administration shall, by enforcing the laws, do away with the need for the Law and Order Society.

The fight has so far been waged between a powerful political organization without scruples or honor, against a small society with little money and few political friends. The worst elements in the city—brothelkeepers, gamblers, speak-easy proprietors, repeaters, ballot-thieves, crooks and thugs of all descriptions—are opposed to the Law and Order Society. The Organization has taken up the battle for the criminal classes. It, with the thugs and crooks and moral perverts at its back, has aligned itself defiantly against honest, decent men and women. It is a fight of right against wrong, of good against evil, of morality against vice, of thieves against honest men, of corrupt politicians against reputable citizenship. It will be a fight to the finish and will cease only with an absolute and unconditional surrender of the criminal classes to the followers and believers in law and order. Thanks to Mayor Weaver's spirited proclamation of a new "Declaration of Independence," that day is not far distant.

Unexpectedly and with startling suddenness the citizens of Philadelphia have been at least disenthralled from the tyranny of their thievish despoilers. Like a bolt of lightning out of a clear sky, the fearless exercise by Mayor Weaver of the power conferred upon him by the Bullitt-Bill Charter in removing his Directors of Public Works and Public Safety, chief props of the gang Organization, has opened the prospect that the forty years of slavery to arrogant political mastery are about to end, and that the people of Philadelphia and Pennsylvania are preparing to march on and take possession of their own proper domain and restore in both city and state "government of the people, by the people and for the people."

With the passage of the gas-lease through Councils, Mayor Weaver, who had been ignored by the plotters and treated as of no more importance than a mere pawn in the game being played by the gang of public thieves, asserted himself in the most unequivocal manner and at once began to unlimber his guns and bring them to bear on the chief citadel of this gigantic conspiracy. He had ten days in which to veto or sign the ordinance. Announcing that he would veto it, the citizens rallied to his support with a unanimity and a zeal that indicated that Philadelphia was at last really awake. They began to hold indignation meetings in the many wards and to appoint delegations of prominent citizens to wait upon their recreant councilmen and demand that the Mayor's coming veto should be sustained. Large numbers of our most influential and public-spirited citizens, as also a delegation of one hundred Methodist clergymen and other ministerial bodies, waited on the Mayor and urged him to veto the steal. In answer to their request he announced that he would use to the utmost his power to defeat the iniquitos proposition.

He made good his promise by notifying Directors Costello and Smyth, the chief agents and supporters of the plotters, that their resignations were wanted. The resignations, with a string attached, were tendered the next day, but the Mayor now thoroughly aroused, refused to accept qualified resignations and peremptorily removed them from office, appointing Colonel Sheldon Potter and A. Lincoln Acker, two well-known citizens who commanded the respect of the community, as their successors, supplementing this drastic action by the announcement that he had employed ex-Judge James Gay Gordon, and former Secretary of War Elihu Root of New York as his counsel. The looters obtained a momentary advantage by securing from Judge Ralston a temporary injunction restraining the new directors from exercising the functions of their offices, but this temporary suspension was vacated in a few hours by a supersedeas issued from the Supreme Court installing the new directors and instructing them to exercise the duties of their respective offices.

This supersedeas knocked the last prop from under the tottering Organization. The Gang had hoped to get a decision from a complacent court that the new appointees could not exercise their duties until they had been confirmed by Select Council, the members of which, being the mere puppets of the plotters, would have obeyed the Penrose-Durham-McNichol combine and refused confirmation. Before the time for argument arrived, however, some of the gang lawyers read section 4 of article VI of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, which provides: "That appointed officers other than Judges of the Courts of Record and the Superintendent of Public Instruction may be removed at the pleasure of the power by which they shall have been appointed." This left their case without any legal support.

The president of the United Gas Improvement Company hastened to send a letter to Councils withdrawing its offer of $25,000,000 for the extended lease of the gas works, embodying at the same time a statement that for fanciful figures and problematical riches makes King Solomon's mines look like "thirty cents." He estimated the net result of $25,000,000 cash payment to the city at 3½ per cent. compound interest, by the year 1980, at $310,714,446, and added enough for extensions, free lighting, etc., to make the total $437,281,227 and forty-eight cents!

This more than bountiful generosity on the part of the U. G. I. to the city of Philadelphia could have been made infinitely more munificent and attractive if the lease had been prolonged for another century or two at a continued compounding of interest. As it takes almost exactly twenty years at 3½ per cent. compound interest (semi-annual) to double one's capital, the city treasury would under a lease until A. D. 2080, accumulate $13,984,000,000, or enough to pay the combined national debts of France, Germany, Russia and England, and if the far-sighted City Councils had extended the lease until A. D. 2180, the grand old Quaker City would have in its strong-box by that time the fabulous sum of $447,488,000,000, or more than a hundredfold the total money on earth today—an amount that might possibly satiate even the McNichol and Durham contracting firms of that period.

The statisticians of the U. G. I. forget, however, that one can not have the cake and the penny both. If the money is needed and expended for improvements, it cannot draw even single and much less compound interest. But if we, to humor them, accept their mode of showing the vast benefit accruing to the city from the lease, it takes but little figuring to show that the amounts payable to the city, if saved and compounded at 3½ per cent. until A. D. 1980 or 2180, would so far outstrip the U. G. I. figures as to quite stagger belief.

The councilmen soon began to tumble over each other in their eagerness to asssure the Mayor that they would confirm his new directors and support his future policy. Finding himself deserted by his principal henchmen in power, Durham himself capitulated and left his friends in councils free to support the Mayor's nominations and sustain his future policy.

Within five days of the removal of Costello and Smyth, the boasted iron-clad municipal Organization of looting freebooters was a mass of ruins, having crumbled about the heads of its leaders like a house of cards, and its thoroughly-frightened dependents and retainers were scurrying for safety to enlist or seek refuge under the reform banner. Since that time the work of installing an honest city government has gone forward apace, without serious obstruction by the late despots themselves, and with the aid and hearty assistance of a keenly interested public.

At the first regular meeting of councils, following the removal of the Gang directors, the gas-lease ordinance was withdrawn; A. Lincoln Acker and Colonel Sheldon Potter were unanimously confirmed as Directors of Public Works and Public Safety, respectively, and repeal ordinances were introduced revoking the obnoxious trolley-franchises. In pursuance of the policy of reorganizing the municipal service on a business basis, the Assistant Directors of Public Works and Public Safety resigned by request, and their places were filled by the appointment of Ex-Postmaster Thomas L. Hicks and Ex-Magistrate Thomas W. South, men of unquestioned integrity and unusual qualification for the respective positions to which they were appointed. Rolla Dance, a creature of State Senator McNichol, was deposed from the Secretaryship of the Board of Civil Service Examiners, and Frank M. Riter, Director of Public Safety under Mayor Warwick, accepted the appointment as a public duty. In future, subordinate appointments will be made upon tests of fitness, instead of, as heretofore, through a political "pull."

Assistant Director of Supplies Arthur R. H. Morrow, a Gang henchman and sympathizer, was supplanted by a capable and well-tried official, and Director Shoyer, of the Department of Supplies, who is justly entitled to the credit of having managed his department with absolute honesty and upon business principles from the date of his appointment, will in future be able to administer his own department untrammeled by the presence of disloyal subordinates foisted upon him by Gang influences. He is the trusted friend and chief adviser of Mayor Weaver in the heroic course by which the city government is being emancipated from the despotism of Gang rule.

With the confirmation of Messrs. Acker and Poitter as the heads of his two principal departments, insuring him that during the remainder of his term as Mayor he will have the loyal and effective support of subordinates in cordial sympathy with his own purposes, Mayor Weaver made this brief announcement: "I set out to defeat the gas-lease, to secure confirmation of my appointees, and to place my administration upon a firm business basis." The first two of the above-named purposes have already been accomplished, and he has yet the best part of two years of his term before him in which to establish business administration of municipal affairs. The Mayor's announcement, however, not only changed the policy of the government, but the attitude of citizens, corporations, and the whole army of officials and municipal employees. One of the most significant changes involved was at once shown by the attitude of the officers of the Pennsylvania Railroad toward the city government, which threw a flood of light upon the new conditions and demonstrated unmistakably that the seat of government had been transferred from the Betz building, where it never should have been located, to the City Hall, where it properly belongs. Under the old conditions the Pennsylvania railroad and other corporations each maintained a legislative agent, commonly known as a lobbyist, to engineer their schemes through councils. Requests for ordinances or legislative privileges required by the several railways had heretofore been made in the offices of Durham or Penrose and not to the official head of the city government.

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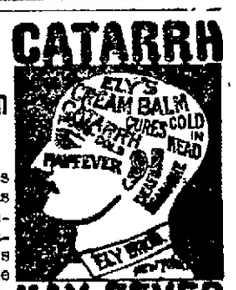
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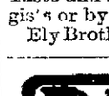
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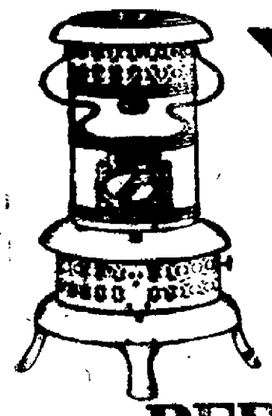


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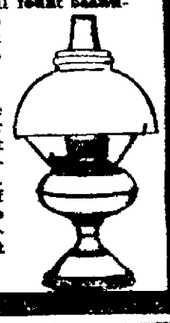
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MASSIVE FORTUNES

Are Disturbing the Public Mind—What Prophet Shall Solve the Problem.

New York, October 17.—The vital and absorbing question which has kept the world in a condition of incipient rebellion for the past century is, "Ought the financial accumulations of the citizens be limited by law? Is it for the best financial health of any community that one man shall have absolute control of a million or a hundred millions of dollars, and, without raising a hand, enjoy all the ease and luxury that abundant wealth affords, while another man labors from the rising of the sun to the going down of the same for the barest pittance that can keep body and soul together?" So far no philosopher has arisen who has suggested a remedy for the wide difference that has always existed between the rich and the poor. A case in point occurred here last week which furnishes a remarkable illustration of the difference between the poor and rich before the law. A native of Denmark who came to the United States about two years ago, had saved three hundred dollars, and he started home to pay his parents a visit; as it was some hours before the steamer started he thought he would take a look around the city; a couple of swindlers who had been watching for just such game, saw his name on the hotel register and as he was walking along the street, one of the swindlers approached him and said: "Excuse me; isn't this Mr. Stronlesholm?" The victim replied that it was; the sharper then invited him to take a walk and in the course of conversation, he remarked that he was going to Europe on the steamer. The Dane was carrying a bag in which was his money and some presents for the old folks at home; his new friend had a roll of money which he was carrying in his pocket, and fearing that his pocket might be picked, he asked the Dane if he would not oblige him by carrying it in his bag; the Dane was obliging, so he took the roll and dropped it in his safe deposit. They soon found a saloon and took another drink, and while the Dane's head was turned looking at a picture on the wall, one of the sharpers poured something into the Dane's glass; it was only a few moments and the Dane began to feel dizzy; the party walked out to the street, when the man who had given the Dane his money said he would like to get one of his large bills changed, so he took the bag from the Dane and went back into the saloon while his friend entertained the Dane on the sidewalk; at last the sharper said, "I wonder what keeps him, just step into the saloon and tell him we must be getting back to the steamer." The Dane went into the saloon, but there was no one visible but the barkeeper; he asked where his friend was and the barkeeper said that a man with a bag had gone into the yard; the Dane began to feel anxious; he rushed out to the yard and there was no man in sight; he ran out to tell his friend on the sidewalk, and he too had disappeared; it suddenly dawned on him that he had been robbed and the blow nearly killed him. He found his way to a police precinct, and while great salt tears coursed down his cheeks, he told his sorrowful story to the officer in charge. He was able to give such an accurate description of the rascals that the police had no difficulty in locating them and an officer was sent out with the Dane, and in a couple of hours they had the swindlers in court and when they were searched, on one of the prisoners eighty-six dollars was found. The Dane swore out a complaint for grand larceny; the policeman who searched the prisoners, instead of handing the money to the Clerk of the Court, gave it back to the swindler, and he promptly handed it to a pettifogger to defend him, though it was morally certain that it was part of the Dane's stolen money. The lawyer asked for a week's postponement, and got it; his client was admitted to bail; the Dane had no friend to go bail for him, so the magistrate, to make sure that his witness would be on hand when the case came to trial, committed the Dane to the House of Detention and there he was kept a prisoner for a week while the swindler who robbed him of his money was enjoying the freedom of the city. But the final injustice to the unfortunate Dane was yet to come. In a week, when the case was called neither the swindler nor his council appeared; his bail was forfeited, but unfortunately it was of the straw variety; the swindler had skipped the city. The Dane never recovered a dollar, and after a week's imprisonment at the House of Detention, he was brought into court and informed that the court had no use for him, and as the scrub women were there with brooms, pails and scrubbing brushes to purify the temple of justice, the cop in charge took the Dane by the shoulder and turned him into the street.

Here is an evil that the most hopeful optimist would not dare defend; no one knows a remedy, and they fall back on the old Tweed inquiry, "What are you going to do about it?"

Whither are we drifting? We are beginning to play battledore and shuttlecock with millions as boys play craps or baseball.

Last week a couple of transactions took place, which, a few years ago, would have struck the Bourse, the Royal Exchange or the New York stock market with financial paralysis, yet this trancaction between private corporations involving hundreds of millions of dollars, is without a parallel in the financial history of the world. Great nations may have conducted deals of equal magnitude, but no such enormous transaction is recorded in history as that represented by sixteen private business men on one side and a large corporation on the other.

When the great northern railroad was incorporated it was almost an experiment as to whether the investment would be a profitable one or not. The government, to aid the work, presented the corporation with several millions of acres of land along the route. There were some thousands of acres that were considered worthless; they were barren and rocky and from all appearances, could not be made use of for any purpose. At a period of the greatest depression this worthless and barren territory was discovered to be one vast plain of the finest iron ore. Countless millions of acres lay there already for the smeltering furnace; pig iron could be made on the spot at a lower rate than it could be got in the United States or probably in the world, and stranger than all, it was the kind of ore that could be manufactured into the finest steel. The Carnegie United Steel Companies got the earliest information of the wonderful discovery and at once dispatched their agents to see if the news was true. The agent's report exceeded all that had been claimed for it and forthwith they offered the railroad $400,000,000 for which they were to receive seven hundred and fifty tons of ore. The four hundred millions of dollars which was received for this purchase was divided among sixteen of the stockholders each one of which received twenty-five millions of dollars for property for which they had never paid a cent, which was a free gift of public lands which belonged to the people, and by the people's representatives was given to a private corporation.

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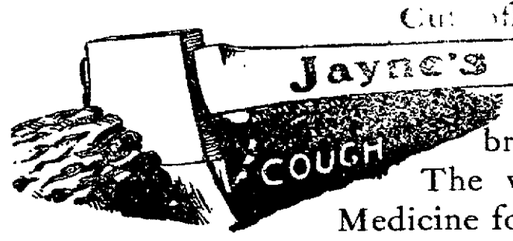
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PERSONAL NOTES

People Who Move Hither and Thither in This Busy World.

Atty. John H. Jordan and wife spent this week in Philadelphia.

Mr. J. C. Schaffner of McConnellsburg was a recent guest of Mr. John R. Fisher.

Mr. Rush Harry of New York visited his sister, Mrs Jennie McCulloh, this week.

Mrs. Charles M. Frank of Altoona is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Little.

Mrs. Frank Arnold and daughter Charlotte, of Oakmont, Pa., are visiting W. S. Arnold.

Mrs. John Wy. Boor and Mrs. G. H. Spang spent several days this week in New Paris.

Mr. F. A. Miller of Speelman made a business trip to the county capital on Wednesday.

Mr. Karl Amick of Sunbury, a former Bedford boy, was calling on old friends a few days ago.

Miss Mae E. Nagler left last Friday for a visit to relatives and friends in Pittsburg and vicinity.

Mrs. A. E. Fyan has returned from a two weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Hary Daschbaugh, in Pittsburg.

Miss Lottie Claar has returned from an extended visit to her brother, William L. Claar, at Garrett, Somerset county.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Steel, of Washington, D. C., were recent guests of Mr. Steel's sister, Mrs. Samuel Ake.

Mr. T. J. Trout of Altoona, a former Bedford boy, was here on business yesterday. He represents the Fire Association of Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Imler, after a pleasant vacation among relatives and friends in this county, returned to their home at Tropico, Cal., yesterday.

Mrs. Hickok, Miss Louise Hickok and Miss Margaret Reynolds, of Bedford, Pa., are guests of Mrs. Calton L. Bretz, Washington street.—Cumberland News.

Dr. and Mrs. Walter McCoy, formerly of San Francisco, Cal., now located at Fort Stanton, N. M., are visiting Dr. McCoy's mother, Mrs. Levanda McCoy.

Mrs. John Line, who has been visiting in Ohio and the western part of the state, returned home last Friday, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. B. F. Lee, of Wilkinsburg.

Those who attended the Superior Court, in session at Philadelphia this week, are Attorneys E. M. Pennell, F. E. Colvin, J. H. Longenecker, J. M. Reynolds and John H. Jordan.

Mr. D. B. Griffith and family, of Spring Hope, Bedford county, are guests at the home of Mr. Griffith's cousin, Contractor W. H. Herr and family, of Seventh avenue and Fifteenth street.—Altoona Times.

Mrs. Dr. W. G. Rook returned to her home in Altoona on Friday after a visit of two weeks with her sister, Mrs. H. C. Davidson. She was accompanied to Altoona by her mother, Mrs. Sansom, who had spent the summer with Mr. and Mrs. James Cleaver.

Point

October 23—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gordon, a son on Sunday, October 14. Both mother and son were doing well at last report.

Henry Miller and wife, of Johnstown, were visitors to Bedford county for several days last week. Mrs. Miller's mother, Mrs. Abram Manges of near Helixville, is very ill and Mrs. Miller was called to her bedside.

Mrs. E. C. King, Mrs. Valentine Leppert and Roy King left for Windber and Johnstown on Sunday for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Smith spent Sunday as the guests of your scribe and family.

C. W. Blackburn has been very unwell for over a week.

Mrs. C. W. Blackburn and grandson, Virgil, paid Hyndman a visit last week, returning on Wednesday.

Mrs. Albert Miller and her daughter-in-law, Mrs Jessie Miller, and twin sons, of Johnstown, are guests of the family of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cable, of Point. Hooker.

Dr. Sears will be at Bedford Wednesday, October 31st, until 7 p. m., when he can be consulted on any trouble of the eye, ear, nose and throat

Cook Stoves,
$12.75 to $38.

Ranges,
$21 to $65.

Heating Stoves,
$2.50 to $35.

Stove Pipe, 15c.

Elbows, 15c.

Call or write for prices.

Goods Delivered.

Metzger Hardware and House Furnishing Co.
Bedford, Pa.

Schellsburg

October 24—Monday afternoon while workmen were putting up a scaffold to repair a chimney of S. W. Keyser's house the chimney toppled over and several bricks struck Harvey Fisher on the back and arm. At first he was thought to be dead but through the skillful treatment of Dr. Brant he was revived and is improving. He is not yet able to be out of bed.

John Bosh of Hagerstown, Md., spent last week with his mother, Mrs. Susan Bosh.

Mrs. Martha Rock is visiting at the home of John A. Burns in Napier township.

C L. Van Ormer, who has been ill for some time, is able to walk out.

Mrs. Thomas Reighard and son Robert, of near Imlertown, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Colvin.

Samuel Evans and George Culp, of Scalp Level, are here on a hunting trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter and son, of McKeesport, are visiting at the home of Joseph L. Brown.

Miss Caroline Shaffer of Frostburg, Md., is visiting friends in our village.

Mrs. Margaret Culp returned home Saturday after a two weeks' sojourn with relatives in Bedford.

Mrs S. B. Whetstone is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Martha Griffith, in Johnstown.

Mann's Choice, Pa.,
October 19th, 1906.

Mr. J. Roy Cessna,
General Agent for the Equitable
Life Assurance Society,
Bedford, Pa.

Dear Sir:—

I wish to acknowledge the receipt of check for $5,000.00 from the above Society, payment in full of policy No. 650,719, on the life of my deceased husband, L. W. Gernand. This has been a prompt and satisfactory settlement.

Yours truly,
(Signed) Christiana Gernand.

NOTICE

Bedford, Pa., Oct. 12, 1906.

David W. Pensyl, Esq., appeared before me, a Justice of the Peace, and makes oath that there are some notes unpaid, that are claimed to be signed by him, and that he gives notice that he will in no way be responsible for notes not signed by himself.

FRANK THOMPSON, J. P.
DAVID W. PENSYL.

Oct. 26 t-2.

FOR SALE

150-Egg Incubator, Prairie State, good as new, for half price. Guaranteed perfect.

100-Chick Brooder at bargain.

Square piano at low price for cash.

House in Bedford, large, roomy, modern, heated and plumbing throughout. Extensive grounds, fertile garden, abundant fruit, cheap. Small amount cash required; balance easy payments.

Call on or address,
JNO. M. BAIN, Agt.

Agency
Demorest Sewing Machines,
Mutual Life Insurance Co.,
Home Accident & Health Ins Co.

PUBLIC SALE
of Valuable
REAL ESTATE.

The undersigned executor of William Cypher, late of Hopewell township, Bedford county, Pa., deceased, will offer at public sale, on the premises near Cypher station in Hopewell township, on

Friday, November 16, 1906,

at one o'clock p m, the mansion property of William Cypher, deceased, to wit:

A tract of land in Hopewell township, at Cypher station, containing 300 acres, more or less, adjoining lands of Daniel and David Cypher, Samuel Ritchey, F R. Dell, Jabez Lowe and others, and having thereon erected a two-story dwelling, frame barn, wagon shed and all necessary outbuildings. Also a two-story frame tenant house at Cypher station, frame stable and outbuildings. About 150 acres cleared and under fence, and 150 acres well timbered.

On **Saturday, November 17, 1906,** at one o'clock p. m., on the premises in Saxton, he will offer at public sale a lot of ground in Saxton borough, fronting 50 feet on Spring street, and extending back to an alley, adjoining lots of Montgomery Sipes on the east and Jennie Swab on the west.

Terms:—Ten per cent. of bid must be paid or secured on day of sale, balance of one-half at delivery of deed, and one-half in one year thereafter, with interest.

EDWARD C. WHITEHILL,
FRANK E. COLVIN, Executor.
Attorney. Oct. 26-t3.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

[Estate of John A. Songster, late of Hopewell Borough, Bedford County, Pa., Deceased.]

Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to

J. Alexander Eichelberger,
Saxton, Pa.
Glen C. Eichelberger,
Hopewell, Pa.
Frank E. Colvin, Executors
Attorney. Oct. 26-w6.

ODD FELLOWS' UNION FORMED

County Organization Will Hold Annual Reunion.

In response to a call by D. D. G. M. Brown of Woodbury, Pa., delegates from the various Subordinate Lodges, Encampment and Rebekah Lodges of Bedford county met last Friday afternoon, in the lodge room of Bedford Lodge No. 202, to form a county organization to be known as "The Odd Fellows' Union of Bedford County." The object of this union is to advance fraternity among the ranks of Odd Fellows and to hold a reunion within the county once each year. Despite the bad weather there were present District Deputy Grand Master H. K. Brown and E. E. Brown, of Woodbury; M. N. Staily of Ray's Hill, M. H. Kramer of Hyndman, R. W. E. Salkeld of Six Mile Run, B. F. Evans of Hopewell, A. H. Redinger of Saxton, Thomas Eichelberger and Dr. Howard Gump of Everett; W. E. Shoemaker, representing Rainsburg; E H. Blackburn, representing St. Clairsville; J. R. Irvine, F. C. Pate and P. W. A. Middleton, representing respectively the Subordinate, Encampment and Rebekah lodges of Bedford.

After adopting a code of by-laws the following officers were elected: Chairman, H. K. Brown, D. D. G. M.; Vice Chairman, M. H. Kramer; Secretary, M. N. Stailey; Treasurer, Thomas Eichelberger.

The Executive Committee is E. H. Blackburn, J. R. Irvine, F. C. Pate, P. W. A. Middleton, W. B. Filler, William S. Lysinger, and G. O. Farber. This committee will have charge of the next reunion, which will be held at Bedford on August 14, 1907.

In the evening at the regular meeting of Bedford Lodge a program was carried out commemorating the sixtieth anniversary of Bedford Lodge. The lodge room was well filled with members of the orde. from all parts of the county. Since the organization of Bedford Lodge the records show that 684 members have been enrolled. There has been paid out for sick benefits and widows' relief $29,976.20; for funeral benefits $6,541.25, making a total of $36,517.45, or an average of $508.40 per year or $11.70 per week during the entire sixty years.

Deeds Recorded

Elmer G. Edwards to James Morgan, lot in Saxton; $800.

George Clapper to Isaac Ritchey, tract in Hopewell township; $37.50.

George S. Blatchford to Emma Whitfield, one acres in Broad Top; $300.

David S. Clapper to S. S. Baker, tract in Bloomfield; $2,300.

Keturah M. Fockler to Mary E. Sweet, lot in Liberty; $100.

John P. Anderson to John L. Bortz, lot in Cumberland Valley; $150.

James H. Mathews to John L. Bortz, lot in Cumberland Valley; nominal.

Dr. Charles F. Doyle, guardian, to John L. Bortz, lot in Cumberland Valley; $150.

Valeria McIntyre to John C. Nicholson, lot in Broad Top; $75.

Amanda Catlett to Clarence E. Smith, interest in tract in Snake Spring; $1,000.

Jacob B. Knisely to Clarence E. Smith, interest in tract in Snake Spring; $1,000.

Clarence E. Smith to Catharine Knisely, tract in Snake Spring; $50.

Joseph T. Alsip to Gussie Alsip, lot in Bedford; $100.

Stanley S. Gump to William Robert Speer, lot in Everett; $600.

Walter A. Foor to Harry H. Foor, tract in East Providence; $300.

Concerning Fruit Trees

The Department of Agriculture of Pennsylvania, by a recent act of Legislature, requests agents handling fruit trees, etc., from nurseries in this and other states to have a certificate giving them license to sell. Any one buying trees should require the agent to show his certificate and be sure he is not a fake selling stock for a fictitious nursery.

Any shipment of trees having San Jose scale and club root should not be accepted, and the agent's and nurseryman's names should be reported to the department at Harrisburg. The appearance of either is a direct violence of the law.

It is my duty to examine all shipments of stock, if requested, which should have a tag showing the certificate of the firm or nursery on every consignment. Yours sincerely,
Ross F. Lee.

For Sale—New Edison Mimeograph. Apply at this office.

Wanted—Girl for general work in private house. Apply to W. H. Clotfelter, Bedford, Pa.

Coal! Coal! Coal!

Georges Creek and Anthracite coal. Leave orders with W. A. Defibaugh or H. C. Davidson. "Square Deal" for all. DAVIDSON BROS., Bedford.

Wanted, fifteen to twenty girls and young men to work in the blank book factory at Roaring Spring. Good wages paid to apt workers. Apply at office of Roaring Spring Blank Book Co., Roaring Spring, Pa.
Oct. 5-t4.

If you are not a subscriber of The Bedford Gazette send in your name It's the county's leading paper.

For Rent—A store room in good location for a general store. Write W. B. Bancroft, Altoona, Pa O26-3t

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A. Sammel has another lot of pianos on exhibition at F. C. Pate's furniture store. Call and see them.

Wanted

Apples—by Corle H. Smith, Oppenheimer Building, Bedford.

If you have apples to sell write, 'phone or call,
CORLE H. SMITH,
Bedford, Pa.

Wanted—Girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. B. F. Madore.

BARNETT'S STORE

Women's and Children's Coats and Furs





To be sure we claimed that last year's line was the "Best Ever," the "Greatest line we ever sold" and all that sort of thing--and we meant it too--but this year we've done even better. You know there's always room for improvement; then, again, there's a charm of novelty about a new line of coats that's very alluring, and when you have put your whole heart and soul in getting it into shape and find that it comes up to the mark, in fact laps over a little, you are bound to get enthusiastic over it. That's the way with this Line. We feel through and through that it is better than what has gone before. Another thing it shows what a lot of energy and vim there is in this house.



You'll readily admit the importance of this showing when you see it, and it might be well to be prepared to give us even a larger share of your business than you did last year--the goodness of the Line will justify it--in fact almost demand it. See if it doesn't!

Window Draperies, Curtains, Portieres, Couch and Table Covers

A discriminating woman recently said, "The curtains and portieres are of more importance than the rugs or carpets used in a room, because the former stand up clearly before you--impress themselves upon you--whereas the floor-coverings do not."

And she was right. Just take a look around yourself and see if your hangings do not make or mar the atmosphere of good taste and refinement in any room.

How imperative then is careful judgment in choosing. Our tapestries are a guarantee of correct design and artistic effect.

Just make it a point to see our tapestries the very next time you go shopping—curtains, table and couch covers. Their artistic beauty and wearing qualities are out of all proportion to their modest prices.



Shoes
Felt Boots
Rubbers



Anything you want in the line of footwear at saving prices.

A big lot of Reed's Shoes, for women, direct from the factory this week.

$2.50, $3 and $3.50.

We are also showing an elegant assortment of Budd's Shoes, suitable for School or Dress, at prices ranging from $1 to $2.

For Women that have some outdoor work to do—we don't know of any shoes so good as the Custom Made, Calf Skin Shoes we are showing at

$1.75 a pair.



Heywood Shoes

The best shoes made for men. No higher grades, no better styles, no longer wearers. All leathers.

$3.50, $3.75 and $4.

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